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# REPORT 30 KILLED IN BIG Three Alarm Fire in Lumber MASS. TROOPS IN ACTION EXPLOSION NEAR PARIS

PARIS, March 15, (Delayed)—Two violent explosions today in a factory at La Courneuve, north of Paris, caused the death of 16 persons and the injury of a large number, mostly slight, according to an official announcement made tonight. Later it was said that the number of dead was 30. General Duhall, the military governor of Paris, has instructed Capt. Lurcher the judge advocate of the first court martial of Paris to open an investigation. The causes of the explosions have not yet been determined clearly. La Courneuve is seven kilometres from the cathedral of Notre Dame, in the direction of St. Notre Dame, in the direction of St

American Red Cross and army ambulances were among the first at the scene of the explosion. A large fleet of ambulances, kept at the American hospital at Neuilly for emergency purposes, started for the account of the control of the ncy purposes, started within a few minute scene within a few minutes after the explosion with two men on each car. Officers of the hospital also

number of wounded were away in motor trucks of

present in the sanctuary.

mirrored in present day events.

Mr. Hayes spoke in part as follows; Prof. Newell says that the life of

halifouxs

When Do You Think

the War Will Stop?

is the question we are asking each other in this country more requently these days. It will never stop until the originators and self elected controllers of this awful war case to clay the game for universal ruler-ship of the online world, or give up the idea that any settlement can be made upon terms to be disable for the destruction they have mutical.

tated by the aggressors responsible for the destruction they have entailed.

We at home, especially the women, follow the spring fashions in the path prescribed by war becessities. Since our men in the service need the wool to keep them warm and dry, women use more slik and less wool, and owing to the limited supply of all materials use as little as possible of any of them.

them.

Our Mrs. Shopand keeps in close touch with the New York markets and we show you entire new models about every week or ton days. Come in and see them.

saint wisely studied leads to saintli

Lawrey Patrick A. Haves

ST. PATRICK'S DAY

the local Irish Catholic societies played the principal part in the day's

program and in almost every instance the first number was the reception of holy communion in a body. Later in the day and in the evening entertainments were held in the halls of the various societies.

Paris Buildings Damageo Roofs and windows miles from the building were demolished, while buildings collapsed like houses of cards. In every quarter of Paris in Western avenue, near the control Fletcher street, shortly after noon to-day and within an hour and a half the vindows were shattered and furni-

ture was overturned.

In a public school at Aubervillers there was a panle and four girls died from fright.

Nearly 1000 persons are shelterless as the result of damage to their homes. The American Red Cross, co-operating with the prefecture of the Seine and the local authorities, is providing for them.

Regarding the assistance given the Regarding the Authorities and the Regarding the Authorities and the Regarding the Authorities and the Regarding the Authorities are resulted from the Regarding the Seimated that the loss to the building and contents will be about \$50,000.

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street the centre of the building was like a roaring furnace.

Property within a radius of several hundred yards was threatened and many incipient fires were caused by flying embers falling on roofs.

The embers were carried into Mddlesex street and destroyed an awning at the store of A. H. Lamatire & Co., in Middlesex street. cles waiting to move the vic-hospitals in Paris and the homerican army officer dressed unds of a child cut by flying hearly a mile from the scene to a hotel set aside, for them."

LOWELL'S OBSERVANCE OF bridge nearest the Middlesex street station retreated under the scorching

of a general alarm broke out in the basement of Cady & Sons' box shop in Western avenue, near the corner of

entire building was gutted and the ma-ior portion of the contents were de-

street the centre of the building was

It is estimated that at least 10,000

Byron F. Cady and Joseph Carl, a foreman for Mr. Cady, were talking rushed into the place and said that there was a fire at the Western ave-

the centre of the building saw flames Poisson took place

so intense at times that it was neces-sary for some of the companies to play If you want to buy, sell or exchange water directly on the firemen in or- anything, try a Sun want ad.

Feli Into Canal

Railroad Bridge Threatened ---

Loss Estimated at \$50,000

were carried by the wind for hundreds of yards. One of these fell on the awning in front of the furniture stors of A. After an hour of hard and sharp fight-Henri Lamatre & Co. at 487 Middlesen attreet and the awning was practically destroyed before the fire was extinguished.

After an hour of hard and sharp fighters are the fire would not spread to adjoining property puless there was a sudden shift in the wind, but it was a story that that the fire was fully

der that the later who were in the uniteer workers located there with hand building could do more effective work. oxtinguishers, garden hose and pails of water to battle with the embers as they water to battle with the embers as they could be a story disclosing their identity. ed American fire. Shortly after 1 o'clock the rear of the wooden structure fell into the canal and riouds of steam and burning embers were carried by the wind for hundreds of yards. One of these fell on the awning ing in front of the furniture stors of A. Henri Lamatre & Co. at 487 Middlesex:

The wind was blowing in the direction of Livingston's coal yard, across the canal, but there was a corps of vol-

# WITH THE ARMY MISS SKILTON QUALIFIES

of office this morning before Assistant City Clerk McCarthy at city hall. Miss plicants for the naval reserve. Among those accepted up to noon today were twilliam F. Bowers, 445 Lawrence st.; John E. Shine, Lawrence; John McGowan, 36 Varney street; Walter J. Flynn, 223 Wentworth avenue; George C. Robarge, 14 Harris avenue; Raymond B. King, Methuen; Earl W. Glidden, All recruits were enlisted.

James M. Elllott of this city was forwarded to Boston today as a recruit for the cavairy section of the regular

SYPHER-Lonwick R. Sypher died esterday at the Lowell Corporation hospital. He' lived at 600 Merrimack The body was removed to the rooms in Fletcher street, a young man of Undertaker John A. Weinbeck in

POISSON-The funeral of Henri

which brought five lose companies, two engines and two truck companies to the scene, but the moment Chief Saunders arrived he ordered the sounding of a second alarm, and this was immediately followed by the sending in of a ganeral alarm which brought out every plece of apparatus in the city.

By the time the department arrived in Western avenue the flames were shooting out through the basement windows and the windows on the first and accound floors on the Western avenue side, while in the rear, overlooking the Western canal, the building was one mass of flames. Ladders were immediately raised against the building and fought from every point of vantage, but owing to the canai in the rear of the building, the flames could be fought only from the front. The wind was blowing in the direction of the railroad bridge and several companies fought the fire from this end and also kept the railroad bridge wet down after the flore had started to

companies fought the fire from this end and also kept the railroad bridge wet down after the fire had started the woodwork on the bridge in several places.

The work of the firemen was greatly retarded by the dense volumes of black smoke which poured out of the building and also because of the amount of jumber, boxes and machinery in that portion occupieed by the Cady box shop and the large amount of grain and hay in Wilder & Wotton's. The heat was so intense at times that it was necessary for some of the companies to play

boroughly conversant with her duties

quently visit those places. She will find out the habits of the young women and their home conditions. If it is necessary for Miss Skilton to make an rest she will, before receiving a



MISS EMILY M. SKILTON

rant, submit the evidence before th

Miss Skilton makes her home at the Y.W.C.A., of which she is a director. She is also a director of the Social Service league and is connected with the welfare committee of the public safety committee. She is a member of the First Presbyterian church and has been connected with the Florence Crittenton league as field secretary since 1905. She de lasa Pitman in the partnership. At informed the writer this morning that she will sever her connections with the Florence Crittenton league as she wishes to devote all her time to her new duttes. It may be interesting to note that although Miss Skilton has acted as field secretary for the league for 13 years and has had in her care numerous young women who were placed on probation Miss Skilton makes her home at th women who were placed on probation nership by the court she never received one. In 18 penny as compensation for her work

# CHINESE ARE FLEEING

PEKING, March 17.—The advance guard of Gov. Chang-South of Mukden province, has arrived at Fengtal, den province, and arrived at Fengia, outside Peking, and is making pruparations to establish a camp in the Temple of Heaven. The exodus of the Chinese from Peking continues. The Temple of Heaven stands near the south gate of the outer city of Peking. It is surrounded by walls which gate against the pruparation of the outer city of Peking.

which are over three miles in circum

CHARLES FELCH DEAD

The local police were notified today that Charles M. Felch, aged 49 years, whose residence was given as 145 Gorham street, died this morning at Rutland, Mass.

# District--Box Shop Gutted--- AT CHEMIN DES DAMES

FRANCE, March 17—(By the Associated Press)—The American troops who have been in action along the Chemin des Dames are a division composed ex-

and Stripes, a newspaper published by decreasing in intensity to a certain extine troops of the American expedition-ary forces, had contained in its latest too costly to keep up with the sustain

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY D FRANCE, March 15 .- (By the Associated Press)-American artillery last night again bombarded supposed gain projectors in the German lines northcomplete destructiveness of their gui

The German artillery fire has been decreasing in intensity to a certain extent, indicating that the enemy finds strange to say, was occupied by this corporation thirty-two years previous to the fire. Two lines of telephones were promptly installed in its ten-

This is referred to here because it serves to illustrate the push and bustmers and general manager of the C. B.
Coburn Co. and a well known and prominent citaten of Lowell, passed way at his home, 7 Fairmount street, esterday. He was 45 years of age and although he had been in failing health or several years the news of his death ame as a shock to his many friends. If the contrary, it served to reinforce the energy for which he was noted and after an absence of six months from the old store. C. B. Coburn-Company returned there. It was a new store at the old stand and Fred Coburn-had, spared nothing in bringing the store up.



FREDERIC W. COBURN

children. Shirley W. and Charles B. Co-burn, and two sisters, Mrs. Frank L. Lane of Burlington Vt., and Mrs. Hor-uce N. Stevens of Plainfield, N. J. Mr. Cohurn was born in this city,

he president and treasurer of the C.

Under Mr. Coburn's management the nents were enlarged and after the fire everal years ago the building was renvated and the store refitted in a mod-

long and honorable carees usiness history of Lowell and it was

business history of Lowell and it was through the personality, energy and business ability of Frederick W. Coburn that the company has attained such high degree and excellence.

It was in 1837, one year after Lowell became incorporated as a city, that the firm of Mizer & Whittemore, dealers in manufacturers' supplies, was established and located in the old Mechanics building in Dutton street, and chanics building in Dutton street, and the present C. B. Coburn company is the outgrowth of that business. On the dissolution of Mixer & Whittemore,

nership.

In 1880 the company located at its present site in Market street. Frederic W. Coburn entered the firm in 1898 and in 1904 the firm was incorporated under the name of C. B. Coburn Co. Shortly after the death of Charles H. Coburn, which occurred in June, 1909, Gordon Tweed regized from the corporation and

which occurerd in June, 1909, Gordon Tweed retired from the corporation and Frederic W. Coburn, grandson of the founder of the company, assumed sole management.

On the morning of March 27, 1912, fire broke out in the store of the C. B. Coburn company and two hours later three floors of the four-story building were gutted by fire. Before the fire was really under control the C. B. Coburn Co. had rented the four-story building near the corner of Palmer street, the Wier building, which,

# shipping clerk was taking orders and delivering goods from the store house in Howard street.

spared nothing in bringing the store up

# FOR RANSOM

PIELING, March 18.—The two American engineers recently captured by brigands in northern Honan are being held for a ransom of seventy rities Representatives of the government are carrying on negotiations with the bandter through references and it is be. dits through missionaries and it is be-lieved the release of the Americans will soon be effected. They are E. J. Pur sell, who comes from either Philadel phia or St. Paul and G. A. Kyle **of** Portland, Ore.

It has been learned that the Americans are being held near Yebsien, 40 miles west of Yenckengho in northern Honan. They are reported to be safe and well.

#### AMERICANS ON CASUALTY LIST

OTTAWA, Ont., March 18 .- The for lowing American names appear in last night's casualty list: Wounded and missing: R. Gagnon, Greenville, N. H.

Wounded: F. Hopkinson, East Lynn,

Mass.
Gassed: H. B. Goodick, Gloucester,
Mass.; Hckowitz, Lynn, Mass.
Missing: F. E. Hanines, Hallowell,

# After the War —What? Reconstruction and good

worty will be less, your contentment greater, if you have a snug sum in the bank drawing interest.

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St. Patrick is indeed well known by

#### Continued to Page Three A PAIN REMEDY

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#### Radways AL Deady 25c 50c For Seventy Years

An interesting program of addresses and music was carried out in A.O.H. hall yesterday afternoon with about 600 members of the order present. President Kenney of the central council called to order and introduced Dr. Patrick's J. Bagiey as toastmaster. The latter spoke briefly on the significance of St. Patrick's day and then introduced Tried and True All Druggista of St. Patrick's day and then introduced Lawyer Patrick A. Hayes as the orator of the day. Mr. Hayes spoke on the life of St. Patrick and went into detail's in regard to the great work of Erin's apostle and the results of his work as EXTERNALLY for INTERNALLY for

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Bruiess SoreThroat Diarrhoea Nervousnass
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CENTRAL STREET, COR. WARREN

# Bushelwomen

Trin-Died at Thomasville, Ga. in the 14th last, after a brief illness. Frederick Ayer in his 26th year. Fueral malice later.





OFFICE OF THE LICENSE COMMISSION

COMMISSION

March 18, 1918.

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Notice is hereby given that all ficenses to use or employ wagons, carts, sleighs or other vehicles in the job or express business, or to use or employ hackney coaches, cabs, coupes or carriages to convey persons from place to place for hire, will expire March 21, 1918. Applications for renewal of such licenses should be made at this office not later than moon, March 22, 1918.

Licenses for pawnbrokers, common victualizers, to sell use cream, confectionery, soda water and fruit on the Lord's day, public lodging houses, junk dealers, junk collectors, dealers in second hand articles, old gold, etc. keepers of employment offices, billiards and pool tables and bowling alleys, expire April 30, 1918, and applications for renewals should be made not later than Saturday noon, April 20, 1918.

By order of the Ucense Commission, John 3, Flahleithty, Clerk.

If you want to reach the people who spend their money in Lowell, advertise in The Sun, Lowell's greatest news-

H. Rourke, Thomas Rowe, Henry J. O'Dowd, Lawrence J. Cummings and Frank E. Tracey. Interment was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cementery, where Rev. Fr. McQuado read the committal prayers at the grave. The arrangements were in charge of Mr. Joseph McCarran under the direction of Funcral Director James W. Mc-nu.

Arrangements were in charge of Mr. Joseph McLarran under the direction of Funeral Director James W. McLarves his wife, Mrs. Bethe E. Steady: Sone brother, Lyman of Burlington. VI. Side of Funeral Director James W. McLarves his wife, Mrs. Bethe E. Steady: Frank Steady: Sone brother, Lyman of Burlington. VI. Steady: Frank St

at the home of his parents, 17 at the home of his parents, 17 distreet, aged 11 days. Besides Kenneth Heslin took place yesterday parents, he leaves one brother, Alagorian at 2 o'crock from the home F. Eldridge.

HESON—Henry Poisson, son of Alagorian area Heslin, 57 Att. Grove street, Burneth Heslin, 57 Att. Grove streeth Heslin took place yesterday attention of the home of POISSON.—Henry Poisson, son of Albridge and Clarina Poisson of 116 lal was in St. Patricts conneity. Un-Lilley avenue, died yesterday after dertaker Peter I. Savage had charge noon at the home of his parents, aged of the tuneral arrangements.

es F. O'Donnell & Sons,
—Frederick, died at Thomas,
Georgia, March 14, 1918, in his
year. Services at his late resiee, 385 Commonwealth avenue,
on, Mass., on Thursday, March
ti 12m. Friends Invited. Burial
owell cemetery, Lowell, Mass.
ER—Died Sunday, March 17, at
Lowell Corporation hospital,

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PRINCIPAL CHAPTER DESCRIPTION AND ADDRESS AND ADDRESS

the Lowell Corporation hospital Lodwick it. Sypher. Pineral services Wednesday, March 20, at 2.30 o'clock from the funeral pariors of Undertaker John A. Weinbeck, 22 Middlesex street. Friends invited without further notice Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertaker John A. Weinbeck, 22 Middlesex street. Friends invited without further notice Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertaker John A. Weinbeck, 22 Middlesex street Funeral services will be held at 7 Fairmount street. Funeral services will be held at 7 Fairmount street Wodnesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healeys, March 16, at the U. S. Naval hospital. William F. Brown, aged 45 years. Funeral services will be held at 18 is late home off Astle street. Wainesit, on Tuesday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock. Friends are respectfully invited to altend. Burial will take place at Rochester, N. H. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Findertaker William H. Saunders, STEADY—Dided at Westboro, March 19, at 2.30 o'clock, from the funeral parlors of Undertaker John A. Weinbeck, 42 Middlesex street weinbeck, 42 Middlesex street weinbeck and without further notice. The funeral parlors of Undertaker John A. Weinbeck, at 2 Middlesex street weinbeck, 42 Middlesex street weinbeck, 42 Middlesex street weinbeck for the weinbeck wainsted without further notice. The funeral parlors of Undertaker John A. Weinbeck, 42 Middlesex street weinbeck, 62 Middlesex street weinbeck from the funeral parlors of Undertaker John A. Weinbeck, 63 Middlesex street weinbeck, 64 Middlesex street weinbeck, 65 years, The funeral will be held under the funeral parlors of Undertaker John A. Weinbeck, 64 Middlesex street weinbeck, 65 years, The funeral will be held under the funeral parlors of Undertaker John A. Weinbeck, 64 Middlesex street weinbeck for the weinbeck wainstead will be funeral will be for the discount of the funeral parlors of Undertaker John A. Weinbeck, 64 Middlesex street weinbe

# Vinol Is The

#### Honest Opinion Doctor Gave His Patient

Bedford, Ohio.—'I was in a pitiful condition, weak, nervous and run down so I could not do my housework. I had doctored for years and tried everything under the sun. A friend told me about Vinol. I asked my doctor about it, and he replied, 'It certainly is the best medicine that can be had today. I couldn't give you any better.' I took it, and today I am as well and strong as any woman could wish to be, and it was Vinol that saved me."—Mrs. itrank A. Horkey, Ash St., Bedford, Olito.

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Best Printing, Tobie's, Asso. Bidg.

There was a healthy shipment of fuel to Lowell over the week-end. From Sat-urday noon up to this noon the following amount of "burnings" was received: at, Meedy's Drug Store, 301 Central at.





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tion was the lively show put on at the Liberty theatre by 55 girls of the Filene's Girls' club for the benefit of the 317th Field Signal Baltalion. It seemed as if 4000 were packed in that building, which happened to be heated by Il furnaces on this hollest day of the season.

season.

Co. A of the interesting signal outfit entertained the girls at dinner in
barracks, serving them army style,
and then marched to the show in company formation. Pres. Henry G. Wells
of the senate, Representative Alvin E.
Bliss of Malden and E. A. Fitene were
in the audience.

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Lieuts, Harry Weider of New York city and Q. A. Shaw McKean of Boston, both in the 76th division head-quarters troop, have been promoled to capitalneles.

Maj. Charles A. Brown, division gas effect, has been made division sanitary inspector, and Maj. Joseph L. Sliner, formerly statitary inspector, has been made assistant division surgeon in Lieut. Col. W. A. Towell's edite. in Lieut. Col. W. A. Powell's office.

SUN BREVITIES

CAMP DEVENS, March 18.—They say that a soldier's letter has a particular appealing power. The government is going to see if it's true. Every officer and enlisted man in Camp Devens is asked to write a letter to a friend or, relative arging purchase of a Liberty bond.

That will probably be the 76th distinctive big contribution to the third Liberty loan campaign. The second loan bonds aren't paid for yet here and there were so many over-enthusiastic subscriptions in that loan which have caused cancellations that the next loan will probably not be pushed so strenuously in camp.

But who can refuse to listen to a soldier's appeal in a letter. The mails out of here will soon be loaded with undereds of automobiles the first wind the probably son to the third late which has been going on for interesting values of the free were so many over-enthusic from mid-winter to late spring values of the free were so many over-enthusing to the probably not be pushed so strenuously in camp.

But who can refuse to listen to a soldier's appeal in a letter. The mails out of here will soon be loaded with the first which has been going on for which first which has been going on for which several weeks now, is reflected in an soldier's appeal in a letter. The mails out of here will soon be loaded with the first was called to a surface of the free ones.

The first day was balmy. Soldier's hicker of oath went on easy hikes in croke, I car.

A soct fire in one of the chimneys of the Robertson Furniture Co. building in Prescott street late Saturday after-non kept several members of the free dopartment bits of the Robertson Furniture Co. building in Prescott fire and one kept fire to obe the her one with the not have the probably and the probably of the robe of the Robertson Furniture Co. building in Prescott street late Saturday after-non kept several members of the free dopartment bits? for a short while young woman from Fitchburg was fixed to the probably and the probabl

George M. Osgood, of 613 School street, was 90 years of age Saturday and on this occasion his home was



HELPS COUGHS QUICKLY FOLET'S HONEY AND TAR takes right hold of an obstinate cough and gives

quick relief. ti puts a healing coating on the in-flamed membranes that line the throat and air passages. It stops the tickling, loosens and raises phlegm easily. It is just splendid for bronchial and la

gust spiendid for bronchial and la grippe coughs, and tight, wheezy breathing.

Mrs. W S. Bailey, Lancsater, Ky., coughed almost continuously day and night, until she took Foley's Honey and Tac. After taking half a bottle, her cough began to slow up, and seven bottles satisfy ourard her cough.

Fails & Brastlesham.

kept open to friends and relatives dur-ing the afternoon and evening and many took occasion to call personally many took occasion to ear personative and congratulate the grand old man. There was no formal observance of the event, but in the course of the day Mr. Osgood, who is still enjoying the best of health, was showered with substantial gifts and best wishes.

Surfaments in camp.

But who can refuse to listen to a significant provided as the most trysignificant pro

# KILLED BY FALL

MIAMI, Fla., March 18.—Francis El-liott Langdon of Boston, a student ob-server at the mayal neronautical sta-tion here, died today at the City hospital of injuries sustained Saturday scaplane fell into Biscayne Bay. His back was broken.

In New Zealand only 50 babies out of every 1000 born die within 12 months. No other country can approximate that,



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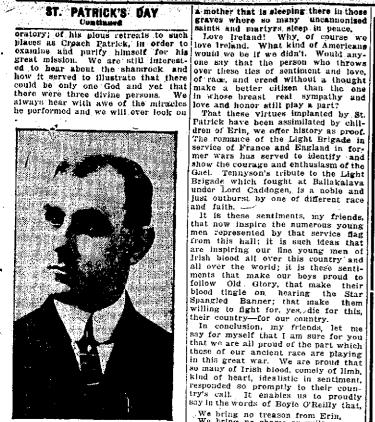


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in astonishment when we think of the extent of his great labors.

We can tonight in imagination see the turf burning brightly in the fire-place, see the outlines made by those silting around it—we can again hear the old stortes of enchaitment and fairles and wonder—we can see the forts that helped your ancestors to do what no other nation in Europe was able to do at that time, to drive out the barbarous Northmen. These forts are hallowed perhaps by the blood of your ancestors and so have reverently been allowed to stand for centuries. We can again see the old castics and the time-defying old gray towers the composition of which today remains a mystery. We see again the old church-yard and see the gravestones where your ancestors sleep—perhaps it's your father—or perhaps it's

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It these days of rushing and pushing, beyond the endurance of even the most robust, nearly every man and woman needs this blood-purifying christing, up-building in the Spring. If it is not supplied, the depletion of the blood and the broken-down nerves may soon give way to permanent ill-leafth.

beyond the endurance of even the robust, nearly every man and man needs this blood-purifying, is not supplied, the depletion of blood and the broken-down nerves soon give way to permanent ill-th. A cathartic is needed, as where a cathartic is needed, as where is billousness or constipation, largely should be taken. They purely vegetable, do not irritate.

With a number of selections. Had number of selections. Had number of selections and the owner needed and got his usual warm reception. Had delivered a characteristic very ready to help the United States when she needed help. He was followed by James Daly in bagpipe selections and other numbers of selections.

and faith.

It is these sentiments, my friends, that now inspire the numerous young men represented by that service flag from this hall; it is such ideas that are inspiring our fine young men of Irish blood all over this country and all over the world; it is these sentiments that make our boys proud to follow Old. Glory, that make their blood tingle on hearing the Star Spangled Banner; that make them willing to fight for, yes, die for this, their country—for our country.

In conclusion, my friends, let me say for myself that I am sure for you that we are all proud of the part which those of our ancient race are playing in this great war. We are proud that so many of Irish blood, comely of limb, kind of heart, idealistic in sentiment, responded so promptly to their country's call. It enables us to proudly say in the words of Boyle O'Reilly that, We bring no treason from Erin.

We bring no treason from Erin, We bring no shame or guilt. The sword we hold may be broken But we have not lost the hilt.

#### Music and Speeches

Commissioner James E. Donnelly entertained with songs and was foi-lowed by County President Joseph J. O'Leary in an address appropriate to



the day, Brother Nevins sang several well received numbers and Sheehan well received numbers and Sheehan and Wall's orchestra gave pleasure with a number of selections.

# Cherry & Webb's

THE LOWELL SUN MONDAY MARCH 18 1918

# SPRING OPENING



The one Superlative Fashion Event. The style show looked forward to with keen interest by the ladies of Lowell and surrounding towns.

# Opening Days

TUESDAY, March 19th WEDNESDAY, March 20th

On these two days the authoritative Spring styles will be shown on living models.

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HATS BY THE GOVE

# Cherry & Webb John St.

They were followed by Brother Cassidy of Lawrence and Edward O'Connell of this city, in songs.

James O'Sullivan, Dr. Patrick, J. Bagley and James McManmon were named as a committee to write a letter of regret to Corp. Edw. J. Flannery, former president of Division 8 who is critically ill at Camp Gordon, Ga. The finale of the program was the strong of the national anthem.

tral street and headed by Fresident
John J. Townsend marched to St. Peter's church in a body where they were
assigned seats in the centre aisle and
received communion at the 7.30 e'clock
mass Rev. Daniel J. Kelcher, Ph. D.,
pastor of St. Peter's church and chaplain of the Mathew Temperance Institute was the celebrant of the mass
and Rev. Francis L. Shea assisted in
giving communion. Dr. Kelcher delivered the sermon and congratulated
the members of the organization on
their splendid showing.

At the conclusion of the mass the
Mathews returned to their rooms
where an excellent breakfast was
served by Caterer Leydon. An informal program of addresses and music
was carried out and among the speakers were President John. J. Townsend,
Former Presidents John V. Doneghue
and John Sharkey. Probation Officer
Edward F. Shattery and Patrick F.
Kane. Songs were offered by Eugene
Parquette, J. Warren Kane, John Splilane, John J. Townsend, Frank Cooper
and James Corrigan and plano solos
were given by James Gorman and J.
Jesoph Finnegan.

Following the breakfast a regular
meeting of the institute was held and
a report from the Easter Monday charactor party committee was heard. Af-



#### The Program Proper

the extreme weakness often results in impaired hearing, weakened eyesight, bronchitis and other troubles, but if Scott's Emulsion is given pro-it carries strength to the organs and creates rich blood to build ab-deplated forces. Children thrive on Scott's Emulsion.

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address: Joseph O'Reagan of Lawrence, songs. James McManmon and
Charles L. Marren, addresses. The
represented also spoke and James
O'Sullivan did a "come-back" stant
when he successfully cruised over the
billows of a vocal selection.

Later in the afternoon three members of the Hibernians who are now
in the national service and stationed
at Camp Devens, appeared in the hall
and entertained with songs. They were
Sergt. Philip Murphy and Privates
James M. and Thomas J. Kerrigan.
They were followed by Brother Cassidy of Lawrence and Edward O'Connell of this city, in songs.

James O'Sullivan, Dr. Patrick, J.
Bagley and James McManmon were who is Waiting for Me," Mrs. Mary Mooney; reading, Miss Margaret Mahoney; solo, "When Irish Eyes Are Smiling," John Roane, Jr., and chorus; solo, "The Last Rose of Summer," Miss Harafet Moran; solo, "Mother Machree," John Devlin; song, "Pill Be Back in My Low Back Car," Mrs. May (Dillon) Doherly and chorus; song, "There's a Rose That is Blooming in Ireland," Miss Bertha Dion; song, "The Harp That Once Through Tara's Hall (in Gaelle), Willam C. Menamara, Jr.; song, "Some where in Ireland," Miss Nancy Swift and chorus; song, "Relieve Me if All Those Endearing Young Charms," Martin Maguire: song, "Releand, i Love You." Miss Plorence McManus; finale, "You Don't Have to Come From Ireland to Be Irish," chorus; "The Star Spangled Banner,"

At the Sacred Heart Church

A lecture and sacred concert last evening under the concert last evening under the concert last evening made the concert last evening under the concert last evening the concert last evening under the concert last evening the

A lecture and sacred concert last evening under the auspices of the Hol-Name society was the feature of the St Name society was the feature of the St l'attrick's day celebration in the Sacred Heart parish. Rev. William F. Mahan O.M.I., delivered a lecture on Ireland, and there was a surrounding program of musical numbers that rounded out a mose enjoyable entertainment. The program complete was as follows:

John Doyle Piano solo, "Come Back to Erin," Miss Madeline Roche

Lecture, "Treland,"

Rev. William F. Mahan, O.M.I.
Baritone solo, "The Wearing of Green,"

Garitone solo, "The Wearing of the Green,"

George Kirwin
Tenor solo, "The Harp,"

John McMahon
Soprano solo, "A Little Bit of Heaven."

Miss Katherine Sharkey
Quartet, "The Meeting of the Waters,"
Finale, "The Star Spangled Banner,"
Soloists and Andence
Accompanists: George Burrows and John J. Kelty.

Church quartet: Soprano, Miss Katherine Sharkey: alto, Miss Bessie Finnegan; tenor, Mr. John McMahon; bass Mr. George Kirwin.

Malo quartet: Pirst tenor, John McMahon; second tenor, James Cusick, first bass, George Kirwin; second bass, Timothy Finnegan.

St. Peter's School

# St. Patrick's day was fittingly ob-

served by the pupils of St. Peter parochial school yesterday afternoon with a delightful concert of Irish mu with a delightful concert of Irish music. The stage was tastefully decorated with emblems of Erin and throughout the hall artistic designs were displayed. The attendance taxed the capacity of the hall and the efforts of the youthful entertainers were enthusiastically applauded. The greatest of credit is due to the sisters of the school for their successful training of the young people. The program was as follows:

Recitation. "Call of the Gael"
Duct, "Come Back to Frin"
Miss Dorothy Easthan and Ellies Mealy
Recitation, "Ireland, bear Ireland"
Sons, "Taru, You Shall Hear"
Sons, "Taru, You Shall Hear"
Solo, "When Irish Eyes Are Smiling"
Miss Dorothy Eastham
"Little Colleen"

Music, Living Modèls 2.30 to 5 P. M.

Miss Helen Delaney Irish medley, Chorus Finale, "Star Spangled Banner,"

Brondway Social Club A delightful entertainment program

was given at the Brondway Social and Athletic club last evening. The affair

and there was a surrounding program of musical numbers that rounded out a mose enjoyable entertainment. The program complete was as follows:

"Hail! Glorious Apostle."

"Hail! Glorious Apostle. selected by God To enlarge the bless'd pale of Christ's faithful believers. Accept our weak efforts to honor thy virtues. And chiefly thy wonderful Charity. Seprano solo, "When Irish Eyes Are Smilling."

Miss May Burke
Tenor solo, "Relieve Me."

Martin Maguire
Quartet, "Killarney."

Church Quartet
Soprano solo, "Kerry Dance,"
Miss Kathleen Jennings
Tenor solo, "I Love the Name of Mary, John Shugrue; song, James Dayling, John Doyle
Piano solo, "Come Back to Erin."

Athletic club last evenius. The affair was conducted in the quarters of the organization in observance of St. Patrick's day and proved most enjoyable. The evening's program was presided over by President Timothy O'Sullivan, who delivered a brief address of wellows. The program follows: Piano solo, Charles Miner: song, Martin Feeney; song, Dominick Molloy: address, Hon. James B. Casey; song, William Chandler; song, James Daly, bagpines, Patrick Callahan, violin and James O'Gara, flute; recitation, John Shugrue; song, James Shugrue, and finale, "The Star Spangled Eanand finale, "The Star Spangled Ban-ner,"

#### Bellevne Social Club

Helievne Social Club

The members of the Bellevue Social club observed St. Patrick's day with an entertainment at their quarters in Middle street last evening, the program being as follows:

Piano selections, Leo Longtin, Herhert Bonin and Fred McCali, and songs, John Ward, Arthur Mello, Henry Winn, Patrick McGowan, Joseph Carmody, Mattie Thomas, William Walls, Frank Allen, Arthur Rodgers, George Rourke, Miss Elizabeth Sheridan, Miss Stella Keyes and Tessie Kelly.

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# YEAR'S COAL ORDER

BOSTON, March 15.—Local fuel committees in Mussachusetts are being notified by Fuel Administrator James J. Storrow of a reduction of 20 cents a ton in the mine price of antiractic coal from April 1 until Sept. J, and of a systematic plan under which dealers will be required to operate for the 12 months beginning April 1.

Whatever changes in retail coal prices may be offered by the fuel administrator will not become effective undi April 15.

Consumers are expected under this plan to estimate their normal require-

pian to estimate their normal require-ments for the coal year beginning. April 1, and to place this order with their regular dealers as early as prac-ticable. The order must be written on paperial blank which the coal dealer

will supply.
The New England Coal Dealers' as-sociation has arranged to have those official order blanks printed for distribution to all coal dealers who desire them.
The consumer must state the

them.

The consumer must state the amount of coal, if any, on hand; the amount of coal received by him in the 12 months ending March 31, 1918, and the amount of coal needed to meet his requirements to March 31, 1919. It must also state what other coal, if any, the consumer has ordered and the name of the person from whom it has been ordered.

The making of the order in triplicate will enable the dealer to supply a copy to the consumer and also to the local fuel committee.

Compliance with these regulations is not optional on the part of either the

unable or unwilling to accept their or-ders should communicate at once with the local fuel committee in their city or town, who will try to make ar

#### PUPILS OF ST. LOUIS' PAROCHIAL SCHOOL OBSERVE PASTOR'S BIRTHDAY

The nupils of St. Louis' parochia: school observed the birthday anniversary of the pastor, Rev. J. B. Lahossiers with an entertainment and presentation in the school hall last evening. The attendance was large and the program was very enjoyable. The presentation to the pastor, which was in the form of a huge bouquet in which had been tucked away \$450 in gold was made by Miss B Lajeunesse. The pastor responded in fitting terms, telling how much he appreciated the gift and he surprised his audience by stating that he would analy the mon-

telling how much he appreciated the gift and he surprised his audience by stating that he would apply the money to the church fund.

The eventing's program, which was given entirely by the pupils under the direction of the Sisters of the Assumption, who are in charge of the school, was as follows:

Piano duet: After the Victory... Calkin Misses C. and M. G. Bouthillette Song, Le Bouquet A'Amour... Moreau Soloists, Misses A. Bertrand, H. La-Haye, A. Lahaye, H. Boudcau and E. Denault

Address to the pastor, Miss B. Lajeunesse
Dialog, The Doll's Christening; Gouget A group of small children
Piano selection, Cavairy..... Wilhelm Misses D. Thibault and C. Bouthillette Operetta, l'Ateller du Maître Eloi.

L. Asselin, G. Bouthillette, A. Cournoyer, O. Gagnon, O. Barrette, A. Pednault, E. Gosselln, H. Chaput, R. Trudel, A. Breanlt, A. Branchaud, C. Choquette, G. Menard, H. Adams, A. Frechette, A. Allard, A. Dion,
The Little Soldier and the Red Cross Maid

Misses Y. Beaulieu, J. Laplante
A. Bertrand
Closing remarks by pastor.

The accompanists for the operatias were Misses Thibault, Bouthillette and Bertrand.

CHARLES C. ALLEN OF BROOKLINE

#### DROPS DEAD PRESUDING AT BANQUET

BANQUET

LAWRENCE, March 18.—Charles C. Allen, 55 years old, of 1673 Beacon st. Brookline, and general manager of the eastern division office of the Lehigh & Wilkesbarre Coal company in Boston, dropped dead at 5.30 last night while acting as touchmaster at a hanquet in Libbey hall.

Dr. John J. McArdle, one of the gueste, went to his aid, but Mr. Allen was dead. Heart disease was given as the cause.

Mr. Allen came to Lawrence Saturday night as the guest of Louis W. Huber, manager of the Lawrence office of the company. With Mr. Huber, he attended the banquet given in honor of William S. Ivera, a prominent Lawrence citizen, During the after-diance exercises. Mr. Allen arose to introduce a singer, when he was observed to sink back into his chair and then fell to the floor.

When it was seen that Mr. Allen was beyond medical aid, Associate Médical Examiner Victor A. Reed was called and he declared that death was caused by heart frouble. He gave permission for comoval of the body, which was taken to Bosion last night, Mr. Allen came to Lawrence Saturda

to Boston last night, The program was abandoned,



miles. From St. Johns to the Azores is more than would probably be neces-1200 miles from the Azores to Oporto,

Portugal, is \$50 miles.

Waiting for a strong following wind, one should average 100 miles an hour across. The crossing from St. Johns to Queenstown could be accomplished under 26 hours; from St. Johns to the Azores under 14 hours, and from the Azores under 14 hours, and from the Azores to Oporto under 9 hours. An acroplane can remain up as long as the engines run. The engines, barring breakdowns, will run as long as fuel is supplied. The question, then, is one of lifting ability. An acroplane which would lift 35 hours fuel and four men, can easily be constructed. That would Portugal, is 850 miles. Waiting for a strong following wind,

be an aeroplane with 15 hours' fuel

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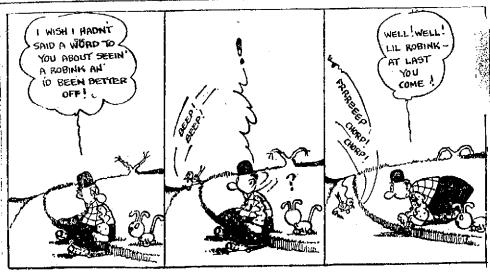
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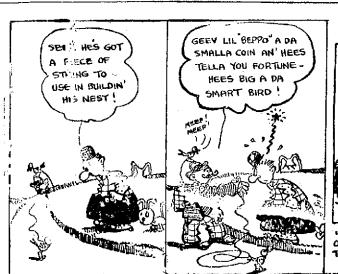






TOM SHOULD HAVE ASKED IT ITS AGE FIRST







ON AN INTRODUCTION AND THIS OF TARRY HO GATEINT

THAT FIRST "ROBINK" SURE STARTED SOMETHING

son Saturday night at the Paige street

g, dozen artists with the visitors, and Wilson, the captain, was practically the whole team. It might be rightfully said that the final score was Lowell 41. Wilson 23, for the Newburyport boy got every point that the visitors were able dozen artists with the visitors, and every point that the visitors were able

every point that the visitors were able to chalk up. He had some help in the relay, of course, but it was due mainly to his efforts that the local quartet was defeated.

Wilson and Mansur were the two anchor men in the relay and Mansur had a slight disadvantage at the same. For two laps it was more or less a neck and neck affair, with thrills beling spilled out at every bank. Wilson proved able to nose out the Lowell fol, but it was only by a matter of inches. It is useless to give alibis, of course, but the Lowell captain had abundant reason for his letup in the final meet.

Owing to the pon-appearance of the second to speak at the banquet.

If the season had extended a few weeks longer Lowell's final record weeks longer Lowell's final record weeks longer Lowell's final record without a doubt. It was a case of a "late-season" team. But the optimists are looking forward to next year when practically the same squad will be back a school.

Captain Mansur added to his laurels saturday when he copped first place in the high jump at the annual Massachustis school. Sit is useless to give alibis, of course, but the Lowell captain had abundant reason for his letup in the final meet.

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Owing to the non-appearance of several of the down-river men, the broad jump and shot put, were eliminated. Wilson took first place in the 30-yard dash, with Mansur a close second. The tables were turned in the high, jump with Mansur in the tead and Wilson runner-up. In the 500 Wilson bested the Lowell captain after Mansur had fallen on one of the banks. And then again in the relay it was a case of Mansur vs. Wilson, with the result stated above.

Hedlund came through in the 1000 and incidentally copped his l.. Quill was first in the 600 and Markham crossed the tape ahead of time in the 1000 Income of the parks of the meet. The team certainly has first in the 600 and Markham crossed the tape ahead of time in the 1000 Income of the parks of the parks of the meet. The team certainly has first in the 600 and Markham crossed the tape ahead of time in the 1000 Income of the parks of the meet. The team certainly has first in the 600 and Markham crossed the tape ahead of time in the 1000 Income of the parks of the meet. The team certainly has first in the result stated above.

Hedlund came through in the 1000 Income of the parks of the more serious contests. The track managers smiled happily as they beheld the large crowd that attended the meet. The team certainly has received support this year.

Now for baseball.

sur, Lowell; Wilson, Newburyport, second: Saunders and Baron of Lowell tied for third place. Height, 5 feet 7 1-4 inches.

Score, Lowell 19, Newburyport 8.
Three hundred yard run: Won by Wilson, Newburyport; Mansur, Lowell, second; Keith, Lowell, third. Time 41 seconds.

Score, Lowell 23, Newburyport 13.
Six hundred yard run: Won by Quill, Lowell; Barber, Lowell, second; Lavallee, Lowell, third. Time 1 minute, 35 seconds.

Score, Lowell 32, Newburyport 13, Eight hundred yard run: Won by Markham, Lowell; Mullane, Lowell, second; Sheldon, Lowell, third; time 3 minutes, 13 seconds.

Score Lowell 41, Nawburyport 13, Twelve hundred yard relay: Won hy Newburyport, (Charkson, Gray, Merri-am and Wilson.)

Final score: Lowell 41 Newhuryport

The officers of the meet were: Referee Mayor Ferry D. Thompson.

To Contractors

Sealed proposals will be received by the Middlesex County Commissioners at their office in the Court House. East their office in the Court House in t

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the earthwork, grading, and road
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The heating plans and specifications may be seen at the office of Walter B. Ross, Engineer, 263 Summer Street, Boston, Mass.

Doubling the plans and specifications may be obtained of the Architect on payment of cost of same.

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Middlesex County Commissioners

Judges, W. W. Dennett, V. H. Mcister, Sorgiant Lawrence Jackson; C. D. Montgomery, Inspectors: Herbert D. Bixby, John D. McKinley, Thomas Fisher, Starter: Hugh McGrath, B. A. Clerk of courts. A. Clerk of course, J. W. Conway, Timors and measurers, E. G. Brennon, H. Leggat, E. Leadbetter, Scorer: Ger-ald Tonks, Announcer, Paul McGregor.

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#### TRACK NOTES

annex by defeating Newburyport high by a 41-22 tune. Incidentally the locals made their record for the season a 50-50 affair, winning three and also losing three.

Newburyport presented a very meager lineup. There were not more than a dozen artists with the visitors, and

# **LOWELL IN FAST GAME**

Thirty yard dash: First heat, won by Keith, Lowell: Moore, Lowell, second; time 4 seconds. Second heat, won by Mansur, Lowell: Bachelder. Lowell, second; time 3 4-5 seconds. Third heat, won by Lavaline, Lowell: Flynn Lowell, second; time 4 seconds. Fourth heat, won hy Wilson, Newburyport; Markham, second; time 4 seconds. Semil-finals: First heat, won by Mansur, Lowell: Keith, Lowell, second; time 4 seconds. Second heat won by Wilson, Newburyport; Markham, Lowell, second; time 3 4-5 seconds. Final heat, won by Wilson, Newburyport; Markham, Lowell, second; time 3 4-5 seconds. Second time 4 second time 5 second time 5 second time 6 second time 7 second time 6 secon

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|   | Doherty hb                   | hb Cusick    |
|   | Pence g                      | g Purcell    |
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#### BASKETBALL GAMES

There were two basketball games played at the Y.M.C.A. gym Saturday night. The big game was between the teams representing Lowell and Lawrence Y.M.C.A.'s and was won by the former by a score of 30 to 22 white the preliminary game between the St. Anne's Wolves and the Intermediate A.C. of this cily was won with case by the latter team, the score below

| Referee Mayor Perry D. Thompson.  NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS The Middlessex County Commissioners. East Cambridge, Mass., have decided to receive bids for a general contract to include all work for the proposed Middlesox County tuberculosis hospital, and no bids under separate contracts will be received on March 29, 1918, as prescribed in the | Anne's Wolves and the Intermediate<br>A.C. of this city was won with case |  |
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| advertisement for proposals recently issued. issued. To proposals recently issued. To Commissioners will receive bids for a General Contract on April 16, 1918, at 10 a. m. and the advertisement for such bids appears below.  TO CONTRACTORS Sealed proposals will be received by  | Hoole, rf rf, Blake ff Rachuck  |  |

March 20—Lawrence at Worcester.
March 21—Lowell at Portland, Providence at Lewiston.
March 22—Lawrence at Providence,
Portland at Lowell.
March 23—Lewiston at Lawrence. Portland at Providence, Lowell Worcester.

worcester. March 25—Portland at Lewiston, Lowell at Providence, Worcester at March 26—Lawrence at Lowell,

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Concord, Old Orchard, Righy and other
scotter, Nashua, Westfield,
April 6—Portland at Providence,
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April 5—Lewiston at Portland,
Lowers wine Mystic Sangus, Worcester, Nashua, Westfield,
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April 6—Portland at Providence, Lewiston at Lawrence, Lowell at Worcester.

April 8—Lowell at Providence. Wordester at Lawrence, Portland at Lewiston at Lawrence, Portland at Lewiston at Lawrence, Portland at Lewiston.

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See him smile—

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old kit bag.

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THE LOWELL SUN MONDAY MARCH 18 1918

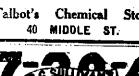
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The Metropolitan Life Insurance company is certainly doing great work in the sale of War Thrift Stamps. Each of the agents is authorized to devote one day a week to the business fore the Hun has ravaged other helpand is required to sell \$5,000 worth of stamps. That is quite a difficult task where so many agencies are offering stamps for sale. The company has guaranteed to dispose of \$65,000,000 in stamps, a great undertaking and one that shows the company's great power. Such patriotism is worthy of emula-

#### TWO SHIPS A DAY

Now that we are turning out a ship a day with the prospect of doubling the output in May, there is hope that the time will soon arrive when the sinkings of the submarines will be in which capacity he is probably worth more than offset by the number of probably produce 4,000,000 tons of shipping this year and more next year, so that the facilities for transportation will be increased over what they are at present. It is also announced that our aeroplanes will be flying over the western front in July. In due time they will be flying over Berlin.

#### ALLIES DISSENT

Germany, it appears, would grant all the allies want on the western front, if they would allow her to chop up Russia as she pleases, but they will never consent to that. Rather will they encourage Japan to help Russia throw off the German voke or resist her further aggression. The allies will have no part in the dismemberment of Russia. Freedom for all nations and slavery for none is their motto.

The allies will bear none of the responsibility for the peace terms imposed upon Russia by Germany. When the Russian people realize what has happened, they will overthrow the compact brought about through the Bolshevik foolishness, if not the traitorous action of Trotzky and Lenine.

#### COUNTER CHARTER PETITION

It is understood that certain parties in the employ of the city have started to secure signatures to a charter petition in favor of Plan C, which is but slightly different from the present charter. The chief difference is, that the salary of the mayor may be \$5,000 and that of the other commissioners \$4,000 each.

This is a move to block any change in the present charter inasmuch as the first petition lodged with the board of registers and approved bars any other petition for change of charter from consideration for the present year,

As this is a move to retain the present charter by certain parties, knowing that Plan C would not be adopted, it should not be countenanced by anybody interested in the well being of

#### PROBE THE INQUISITORS

That military committee of the United States senate seems to be determined to let the war department hold nothing secret. They want all our business left bare to the world. They are neglecting the legislative business necessary for the progress of the war and spending their time berating the food administrator, Secretary Baker or some other official who bears a heavy responsibility. The committee should be investigated in order to determine just why certain of its members are fighting the battles of Germany in the highest legislative body of the United

These senators are the deadly onemies of Mr. Hoover for no reason that the public can surmise except that he prevents profiteers from fleecing the American people. The senators were always more closely identified with bifinancial corporations and trusts than were the representatives. The protection of the people by Mr. Hoover against the food sharks is evidently vexing Senator Reed and some other members of the military committee.

#### THE FALL OF ODESSA

The Teuton has taken Odessa, along the road from Berlin to India, and the Muscovite grain funnel.

That much has been expected ever since Russia quit winning. No authority in Washington, London, or Paris expected for a moment the Hun would forego this opportunity of overrunning the vanquished people of a non-resist ing state.

But while the Hun is in possession of Odessa and the Turk is master of the Black Sea, they will not always remain there. The central powers may make a stab at India. They may patrol the streets of Petrograd and enslave all Russia if they get the chance. Whether they stay there or not depends upon those brave men holding the line from Switzerland to the English channel. There the fate of the Black Sea, Odessa, Russia,-and all the world-will be settled. It is there the Hun must battle for his Russian spoils.

No one better than the German war lords know the full truth of that, America must know it, just as France and Britain long have known it. "The war will be decided on the

west front." That statement is almost as old as

the war.

Knowing, then, that it must be decided on the west front, let us pay loss attention to German boasts of "victories" in stricken itussia, and more to our determination to achieve

tive units of the fighting forces. Quite a large number of men sent to Camp Devens by the exemption confined to no particular locality.

boards were rejected by the army surgeons and sent home as unfit for service. The surgeons are not being la real victory in France. That means cooled to any great extent although exerting every ounce of our strength they are not mind readers. very thought of our brains, every pos Still in spite of the greatest vigisible sacrifice to bring this victory about in the shortest possible time, be

spite his wooden foot was sent to camp | medical department or else be a source

lance, men who have been discharged not cured, but because there was no room for them at sanatoriums for the treatment of victims of tuberculosis have been accepted by local exemption boards for service. Some of these men will perhaps be passed by the state the matter of Odessa even as it will boards, and not a few of them will get by the more rigid physical examination at camp. There is grave danger that more virulent form when they have been transported, at a cost estimated at \$1500 per man, across sea, and they the East Pittsburg milkman who de- will either become a burden to the

the army in the field, rather than effec-

with the drafted men. He has been of danger to their comrades. Greater care in the acceptance of such men is imperatively necessary. very much more than he would ever be Regardless of the soldier's willingness new ships launched. The nation will with a crippled foot in Flanders mud. to serve, or of the eagerness which is Such cases serve to point the folly displayed by some to get to the front, no man should be accepted when there tice who are obviously unable to per- is anything approaching a serious

> Externally, It is inhaled as a Vapor and also Absorbed Through the Skin.

the Results.

Every year thousands of people, suffering from various forms of lung suffering from various forms of lung trouble, make a pilgrimage to the pine barrens of North Carolina, "the land of the long leaf pine." The reason lies in the warm, dry air, perfumed with the spicy odor of the pines.

Local druggists, however, have recently received a treatment that is almost as good as a trip South. This is Vick's VapoRub, the invention of a North Carolina druggist.

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parison with regular merchandise.

Palmer Street

Local Druggists Are Selling 25c each breath, through the air passages, to the lungs, loosening the phiegm and soothing the inflamed membrane. In cases of severe chest colds, the Results.

bronchitis, tonsilitis or inciplent pneumonia, first apply hot, wet towels to open the pores. VapoRub is then absorbed through and stimulates the skin, taking out that tightness and soreness in the chest.

One rubbing with VapoRub usually relieves croup within 15 minutes and an application at bedtime prevents an light attack. For head colds, hay fever, catarrh or asthmatic troubles, VapoRub can either be applied up the nostrils or a little melted in a spoon and the vapors inhaled.

The progressive druggists here are

is Vick's VapoRub, the invention of a North Carolina druggist.

VapoRub comes in salve form and when applied over the throat and chest, the body heat releases medicated vapors that are inhaled with trial.

The progressive druggists here are anxious that their customers should try this new treatment, and are, therefore, offering VapoRub on 30 days' trial.

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grade, all the desirable colors, also black, white and cream; carefully matched

and put up in suitable lengths for dresses, skirts and waists; specially desirable

plain shades and a wonderful collection of all the newest designs and color-

ings in the printed goods; suitable for dresses, skirts, waists, children's frocks,

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also for Spring coats and jackets; regular \$3.00, \$4.00 and \$5.00 qualities.

Sale Price Only \$1.85 Yard

4000 YARDS FINE SILK POPLINS-24 inches wide, in a splendid selection of

Sale Price Only 89c Yard

past few years, for the unprecedented demand for this class of silk and wool mer-

chandise has driven the manufacturers to ship almost everything as regular goods

and any length as a piece. Therefore, our allotment of remnants has been curtailed,

and the price this year, while somewhat higher, is relatively not so high in com-

ON SALE TOMORROW

MORNING

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

cated vapors that are inhaled with trial.

This trial offer good at all drug stores except L. K. Liggett Co.

as a result of the hardships of the charge upon the facilities for treatment of the sick and wounded. Hasty medical examination and improper regard for the history of the drafted man is probably responsible for the cases mentioned which have been

#### SEEN AND HEARD

No sort of a good road is safe for

Scientists are getting nitrates out of the air, but telegraph companies have been getting night rates out of the peo-

ple for years. She linted to Tell It It is stated that a well known West Sider likes plenty of air in his sleeping room—and his wife doesn't. One night

se climbed onto the couch in the dark. It was stuffy.

It was stuffy.

"No, the window is closed," said wife.

"I's stuck. Won't go up."

Crash! The citizen had thrown a shoe.

"That'll let in the air," he remarked, and went straight to the Land of Nod.

And in the morning wife sweetly informed him that the window was untouched, but the glass door of the bookease was a ruin.—Brockton Enterprise.

#### Why They Liked the Judge

Those who have been privileged to hear Judge C. C. King in a jecular mood can appreciate the following story told by him at the recent reception and ban-quet tendered Rev. Dudley Hays Ferrell' by his fellow citizens. To fully appre-ciate the value of the story it would

ctate the value of the story it would have to be heard from the lips of the genial judge.

"I nearly had a compliment paid me a few weeks ago," began Judge King, "Two little girls expressed a preference for my society while taking in the Frockton fair one afternoon. The little ones are acquaintances of mine and it seemed strange that they should choose me for a chaperone when they could me for a chaperone when they could have gone with their mothers or othe

children.

"Why is it,' I casually inquired, 'that you prefer my society to your mothers' or playmates'?

"Oh, we like to be where you are, you are so childish,' was the response."

—Brockton Enterprise.

#### Taking Camp Degree

When he blew into the recruiting of-fice and volunteered, it was because he was an enthusiastic young American. He was accepted for service and sent quite a distance for intensive training. quite a distance for intensive training. He made good, but one day slipped a cog on some little matter of duty and was assigned to "kitchen police," which is often a penalty job in a military camp, or sort of scrubwoman gume. He didn't like the job over much.

When he wrote home he told about his assignment to the kitchen police. But he didn't use the words, he used the initials "K. P."

His sweetheart wrote back expressing er great pleasure and approving his getting into the Knights of Pythias, which, she said, she knew as

#### TO REMOVE DANDRUFF

Get a small bottle of Danderine at any drug store for a few cents, pour a title into your hand and rub well into the scalp with the finger tips. By mornng most, if not all, of this awful curf will have disappeared. Two or three applications will destroy every bit of dandruff; stop scalp itching and falling hair.

# PROSTRATION

May be Overcome by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound — This Letter Proves It.

West Philadelphia, Pa.—"During the thirty years I have been married, I have been in bad health and had several at-



tacks of nervous prostration until it seemed as if the organs in my whole body were worn out. I was finally out. I was many
persuaded to try
Lydia E. Pinkham's
Vegetable Compound and it made
a well woman of
me. I can now do
all my housework all my housework

and advise all ailing women to try
Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I will guarantee they will
derive great benefit from it."—Mrs.
FRANK FITZGERALD, 25 N. 41st Street,
West Philadelphia, Pa.

There are thousands of women everywhere in Mrs. Fitzgerald's condition,
suffering from nervousness, backache,
headaches, and other symptoms of a

headaches, and other symptoms of a functional derangement. It was a grateful spirit for health restored which led her to write this letter so that other women may benefit from her experience and find health as she has done. The letters constantly heing pub-lished from women in every section of

War scene in New York

Snorting as though overloyed at again seeing "No Man's Land." the huge tenk Britannia, conveying Mrs. Adolph Ladenburg and Miss Ray Slater, the latter a Boston girl, as guests, dipped its nose into the excavation for the proposed new court house at Centre and Duane streets, New York, on a recent afternoon, crawled over brick walls or tumbled them down with greatest ease if they hindered her progress and emerged into Park row a few minutes later, with her passengers none the worse for the trip and highly pleased with the experience.

The two women made the trip at the invitation of Brig. Gen. W. A. White of the British recruiting mission, as the opening event of a recruiting campaign.

opening event of a recruiting campaign, citywide in scope, before the draft of British subjects becomes effective. Several other women were invited to take the ride on the British war engine, which had thrown fear into the hearts of the Huns, but only Mrs. Ladenburg and Miss Stater appeared. The Britannia was attracting the attention of several hundred persons in Lafayette street when the women climbed on board and opening event of a recruiting campaign vhen the women climbed on board and disappeared within her metallis disappeared within her metallis sides. Coughing and spluttering as though she were off on a mission of destruction, she was steered by Captain Haigh, commander of the tank, toward the excavation. Thousands of persons gathered around the court house site to watch how the tank acted on ground that represented in many respects the that represented in many respects—the devastated villages of France through devastated villages of France through which she had crunched on many occasions to carry death to the invaders. Crawling along like a giant caterpillar until she reached the edge of the excavation, she then poised her nose, hipped forward and slid down a 40-fout embankment. Continuing her course, she scaled a six-foot wall, lounging into another ditch. There was a succession she scaled a six-foot wall, lounging into another ditch. There was a succession of holes which might have been made by a howitzer. The Britannia never shied at one of them. If the wall were too high to climb, she just pushed it over with her nose and proceeded as though it never had existed. She emerged from the dugout with even greater case than she entered.

#### The Migrant

I leave the land of palm and pine—
For men my sovereign pily;
Freeborn the air, the seas are mine—
Their realm the crowded city.
Through cloudland I may choose my

way,
My beating wings a-quiver;
Or I may chance a tranquil day
Upon a lake or river.
For men must reap and men must sow—
Form ties they dare not sever;
With scoun 1 see them chalued below,

With scorn I see them chained below,
With scorn I see them chained below,
While I may roun forever.
I leave the land of palm und pine,
Of other scenes grown fonder;
The north star is my guide, and mine
The starry paths I wander.
Ohl little wings beat true and strong—
Too long, too long, I tarry,
Speed with the winds, bear me along—
A heart's desire you carry.

See I only Post Divagab.

-St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

#### BUSINESS ORGANIZATIONS IN-BORSE THE SERVICE AT COST FOR STREET RAILWAY

That the principles of service at cost as a remedy for the street railway situation represent the logical and practical solution of the existing conditions is attested by the indorsement that the plan is receiving in all sections of the state. Within the plan faw days, the service at cost plan has been endorsed and recommended to the legislature by the Springfield heard of trade, Fitchburg chamber of commerce, Lowell beard of trade, Webster-Dudley chamber of commerce, Wrocoster chamber of commerce, Pittsfield beard of trade, laverhill chamber of commerce, Brockvion chamber of commerce, Brockvion chamber of commerce, Wareboard of trade and other organizations. In each of these cities the plan was unanimously indersed after a ment that the plan is receiving in al though investigation of the subject and it becomes more and more evident that whatever plan is ultimately adopted it must recognize the principles of service at cost.

#### WORST BLIZZARD IN TWENTY YEARS

ST. JOHNS, N. F., March 18.—The worst blizzard Newfoundland has experienced in 20 years for the last three days has completely blocked railraad and coastwise steamer traile. Only one death, that of a truckman in this city, who perished with his horse while trying to make his way home last night had been reported loday as a small of the charm although on a result of the storm, although much

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suffering had been reported today as a result of the storm, although much suffering was caused. The crew of the fish-laden schooner

one of the best fraternal organizations in the world.

"Knights of Pythias, eh!" he murmured when he received that letter from sweetie.

He gave the o.o. to his scrubbing brush, the bucket of sospsuds at his right, the wet floor which he was attempting to make "whiter than snow," and whistled softly.

"If she could only see me now, she'd eartainly think I was going through a stunt for a high-up degree," he said.

War Scene in New York

Snorting as though or table to the crew of the fish-laden schooner Prospero, which foundered near Cape Race after leaving this port for Europe, was brought back last night. A number of vessels moored for the winder week were allayed by a wireless message that all were safe. The blizzard began to subside today.

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BOARILOF HEALTH BOARD OF HEALTH.

#### REPORT OF DEATHS

For the Week Ending March 16, 1918.

7-Thomas J. Collins, 57, lob. pneu-S-Hazel MacDonald, 23, chr. neph-

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Elien M. White, 83, cer. haemor-rhage.
Leo Carpentier, 7m., ac. bronchitis Murie I. Desrosters, 5m., lob. pneu-

monia. John W. Mullen, 59, Ludwig's an-

gina.
Victor Vohl, 1, meningitis.

-Maxime Duval, 10m., bronchopneumonia.
Catherine E. Flanders, 64, inter.

nephritis. Gabrielle Brouillette, 11m., bron-Catherine Barrett, 12, cer. spin.

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meningitis.
Joseph H. A. Therrien, 19d., ac.
bronchitis.
Alice B. Bineault, 10m., ac. bronchitis.
Rebecca Gilbride, 82, arterioselerosis.
Bessie G. Neyille, 29, eclampsia.
10—Andrew Argopoulos, 8m., 11co
collits. colitis.

Odile Vaillancourt, 58, chr. valv. beart disease. Leonard Clough, 1, diphtheria.
John Franca, Sin., broncho-pneu-

monia. Albert Patenaude, 4, laryn. diphtheria. John J. Murray, 66, myocarditis.

Conceicao Jardin, 11m., catarrhal nneumonia Elizabeth Sheeby, \$5, lob. pneumo-

nia.

Daniel McAleer, 70, lob. pneumonia.

Nellie Rodgick, 12d., bronchopneumonia.

12—Jan Cebula, 4m., broncho pneu-

monia.

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Michael M. Doyle, 63, chr inter ne-

phritis. --- Richardson, 2d., imperfor rated anus.
Thomas H. McCabe, 59, strangulated hernia.
William F. Welch, 47, tub. laryu-

gitis. Lucie E. Maciualea, 5d, adynamia. Victor Sauvageau, 64, chr. endo⊀

carditis.
Andrew F. Roark, 44, disease of liver.
Francis Cox, 7d, prem. birth.
Joseph J. Bastien, 2m., lob. pneus carditis.

monia. Joseph Percira, 8m., broncho-

Maria P. Rosa, I. lob. pneumonia. STEPHEN FLYNN, City Clerk.



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### form the same, and those whose medi- probability that he may become a men-Something New in Town From "The Land of the Long Leaf Pine" A Remarkable Treatment From North Carolina That Relieves Croup and Cold Troubles Without the Necessity of Internal "Dosing"-Applied

BELFAST, Ireland, March 18 .- In the rioting between a mob of Sinn Welners and the police in the nationalist quarter of Belfast early Sunday, Huriey sticks, clubs and stones were the chief weapons but some revolver shots were heard. The trouble lasted from midnight until 4 o'clock in the morning and many persons, including some policemen, were sent to hospitals.

The Sinn Feiners had announced they would hold a meeting in St. March's hall, a nationalist gathering place, but the authorities closed the hall. During Saturday, Sinn Feiners were brought in from different parts of the country to begin imprisonment in the Belfast jail. Many sympathizers came along.

Prof. Edward de Valera, member of parliament for East Clare and a Sinn Feiler, arrived in an automobile at midnight, accompanied by a bodyguard armed with Hurley sticks and others carrying blazing torches. The hall being closed, de Valera moved his meeting to a vacant lot 100 yards

GERMANS IN PANIC

OVER AIR RAIDS

GENEVA, March 16.—Reports reaching here from Germany say that mains large to the part of the part of the country to be part of the pa Felners and the police in the na-



SINN FEINERS FIGHT EASTER GIFTS

Millard F. Wood's

Beautiful new creations in fine jewelry; fine presentation watches; fine bracelet watches for ladies; full line of reliable

from the hall. He had talked 10 principal Rhine cities many houses and minutes when the police declared their apartments are vacant, numbers of

apartments are vacant, numbers of intention of breaking up the crowd, persons moving to central Germany or Switzerland. They say opinion is growing against continuation of German air raids.

A Berlin despatch says that in February entente aviators made 23 attacks on German towns. Treves was raided three times and Saarbrucken. Mann-

three times and Saarbrucken, Mannhaim and Pirmasens once each.
While no military damage was done to bouse and other private property.
Twelvo persons were killed and 36 injured, 15 of them severely. One biplane shave been brought about by the British aerial attacks on German towns.
At Coblentz, according to a Basel despatch, there were several outbreaks of fire in the southern portion of the town, and an anmunition factory was blown and an anmunition factory was blown up. The railway station at Fribourg was again badly damaged.

Swiss travellers report that in the

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of Lowell by the executive committee

of the public safety committee.

Mr. Fisher will be assisted by four sub-administrators and those men will see to it that whatever national or state food laws are made, will be lived up to in Lowell. Their work will cover food production, food control, retail merchants, hotels, club and restau-



rants. The public safety committee is plauning to organize the work on a detailed basis but plans for this phase of the work have not yet been com-

pleted.

Mr. Fisher has been serving as assistant food administrator in Middlesex county. The increasing need for food control has necessitated the appointment of such an officer.

pointment of such an officer.

The committee last night appointed City Librarian Fred A. Chase recorder for a bureau of records which will keep tabs on the war happenings in Lowell.

The National Security league is to held a patriotic meeting in Lowell on April 2 and the public safety committee approved the proposed meeting at last evening's session. last evening's session

RESCUE LEAGUE REPORT

MESCUE LEAGUE REPORT

Miss Emily M. Skilton, field secretary of the Florence Critienton Rescue league of Lowell, makes the following report for the year 1917:

Our girls this year have numbered 183. Sixty of them have been wayward girls from 24 Protestant churches.

ward girls from 24 Protestant churches.
Court cases 34: interviewed with the aid of vice commission 18; girls returned to their homes in the city 3; runaway and wayward girls returned to their homes out of the state 5. We have placed in private families 13; in the Ayer home 3; sent to the Y.W.C.A. summer camp 6; to live at the Y.W.C.A. 4; has adopted 1; placed under guardianship 2; to the Welcome house, Boston, 3; Girls Industrial school, Dorchester, 1; Children's Friend society 1; examined and found mentally deficient by Dr. Benner 10; Boston Psychopathic hespital 1; committed to Waverly school 1; committed to Waverly school 2.

We have presented our work to the public 13 times, have consulted eight lawyers in connection with court work, and have made 62 visits on 21 physicians.

The Lowell General hospital has

physicians.

The Lowell General hospital has cared for eight parties, free of ex-

pense.
The society wishes to express its thanks to lawyers, physicians, the Lowell General hospital and all friends who have kindly aided and supported our work during the past

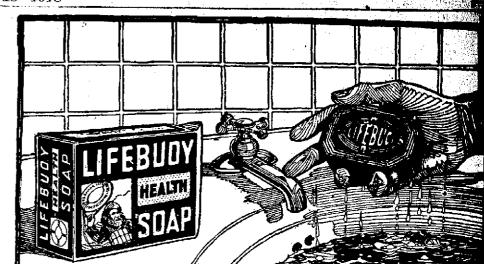
year.

In November, owing to changed conditions in the work, the home on Parker street was discontinued and we removed to \$33 Stevens street, where arrangements have been made for the care of girls needing our help.

Miss C. Alice Rowell, the treasurer, submits the following report: submits the following report:

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| including office rent \$ 474.05<br>Maintenance of shelter 117.75<br>Salaries, matron and assistants 155.00<br>Household supplies 60.16<br>Home telephone 25.30               |
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# What happens when you wash your hands?

Most of us think that if our hands look clean, that is enough. Washing your hands means much more

As a matter of health it is hard to exaggerate the importance of washing your hands properly, and at the right time.

Your skin is covered with little openings-the mouths of the fat and sweat glands. Every inch of the skin on the palm of your hand, for example, contains 2,700 of these little mouths.

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# The Health Soap

# ANNUAL MEETING

"With a greater population than With a greater population than the entire state of New Hampshire, and two and one-half times that of Vermont, Middlesex county raises only one-tenth of what it consumes." This statement was given out at a meeting—the annual one-of the food production committee of the Lowell public safety committee, which was held in the office of the park department or the Howell public safety committee of the Middlesex for the which was held in the office of the park department or the Lowell public safety committee of the Middlesex from bureau, was responsible for the statement and he urged the committee to get busy at once and he urged the committee to get busy at once and he urged the committee to get busy at once and he urged the committee to get busy at once and he urged the committee to get busy at once and he urged the committee to get busy at once and he urged the committee to get busy at once and he its utnost to bring about the tilling of more lead in Lowell next spring.

In the course of the meeting the Soil" campaign, which was started in this city last year and which will be continued during the war at least, of meeting was presided over by Chairman Jessel II. Shepard and among the park to the statement and among the park to the laken to strain the julce through a fine citth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this long on lemon pulp gets in, then this long of lemons that the office of the park to one and the statement and the office of the park to one on the one of the meeting the urged in the office of the park to one on the one of the meeting the urged in the office of the park to one on this of the red in the office of the park to one on the one of the meeting the office of the park to one on the office of the park to the entire state of New Hampshire,

Sallowness

At the cost of a small jar of ordinary cold eream one can prepare a full quarter pint of the most wonderful lomon skin whitener and complex on beautilier, by squeezing the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white. Charles T. Upton, Harvey B. Greene, it will be used to bleach a darkened skin and is the ideal skin softener and beautifier.

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Just try it. Get three ounces of orchard white at any drug store and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quarter pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage of the lowell war garanger of the bureau.

Charles T. Upton was chesen within a promise lake the formula of Dr. True's Elixir symptometric part of the bureau. The lowell war garanger of the lowell war

establish headquarters in the office the entire summer and he will be of the park department at city half, in a position to tell the amateur the department of land and appliestablish headquarters in the office of the park department at city hall, where denations of land and and cations for land will be received.

In the course of the meeting George H. Upton, who, supervised the work last year, explained the HARBIN, Manchurfa, March 11.—Released Gorman prisoners are co-operating with the biotsheviki in Siberia in the campaign against the forces of Gen. Semenoff, leader of the non-Bolshevik faction. Wounded soldlers of Gen. Semenoff's command say that in a battle on March 1 they were fixed upon by former German prisoners attached to the Bolshevik forces. It is estimated that 200 Germans took part in the fighting.

One wounded soldler claims that Gen. Semenoff troops bayonetted the armed Germans in a hand to hand combat.

FOOD COMMITTE HOLDS

ANNUAL MEETING

George H. Upton, who supervised the work last year, explained the method used in the assigning of lots was the only course pursued. Mr. Griggs said in the course of the year 1500 new lots were cultivated in the city of Springfield. He said the plowing the campaign to a successful end, led could see one reason why Low-ell would not double its tilling area the old Pair grounds, which is now one when ye the city, be plowed and turned into garden plots, for it is guized that the land will be of more use as garden plots than as circus grounds, and it was voted to require the public property department to donate the land for garden purposes.

A week's campaign for the

A week's campaign for the do-nation of land for garden purposes will be opened and those who have land they do not care to till them-selves can dispose of it for the sum-mer months by calling in person at the office of the park department or by calling by telephone 3750. The



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tury.

I know of no time when we need more than now this great truth of our faith. I heard last Sunday a 'scremen by the Archibishop of York. There he stood, that noble figure, less than 60 years old, with the white hair of a man of 75, and this was the message which he gave to the American people. That in the days that are coming, we which he gave to the American people. That in the days that are coming, we shall hold fast to the great moral ideals for which we entered this conflict. Nothing else would hold. Patriotism is well, but patriotism alone is not enough. Determination alone is not enough. The tumuli and the shouting had died, and he and his countryment where living under a great cloud, with no sunlight flashing through; grimly determined, but that first great glow of enthusinsm had passed. And then he The preacher at last evening's service at St. Anne's church was Rev.

Alexander Mann, D.D., rector of the Trinity church of Boston, who took his test from St. Paul's letter writen in prison to the Philippians: "I can do prison to the Unit words point to semething far more intimate and personal, far health, but the teaching th thou persecutest." It was that revelation that the God whom he sought
to serve had manifested himself in
porson, the life and the death of Jesus
Christ. When Paul had accepted that
revelation, when he had thrown himself into the service of Jesus Christ,
then came that wonderful discovery
that just as Jesus was the final revelation to the world, of the nature of
God, so he was also the final revelation
of the possibilities of manhood in this

Don't Fail to Attend

the influence of the character of rist, the more he fulfilled his own manhood.
That is the secret of St. Paul. It is the secret of the Christian religion. It is the distinguishing characteristic of the gospel of Jesus Christ. It is simply true that Christianity is Christ; and all else, church, creed, sacraments and preaching, are of value only as they help us verify this truth for ourselves. It was the secret of Christianity in the first century; it is—the secret of Christianity in the 20th cen-

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a.—Cherry Ripe ......Horn

Group for Contratto
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b—Cuckoo Clock ... Grant-Schaffer
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AMUSEMENT NOTES

Storey, the former the wonderful World Then there is Billy West, the mugh Film kiddle star, and the latter one of the Painted Candy Kid," and the Strand Revue with its many interesting screen today, will both appear in their and instructive views on current events Note:—Below is what the press agents of the different theatres say of the current attractions and of others to come later.

to the soveral very realistic effects of "Married Via Wireless." a splendid musical comedy which will be headlined at the B. F. Keith lheatre this week. It is heralded as a lively musical concoction having a cast of eight persons, but there is a predominance of novelty embodied in the production that relieves it of the conventionalities apparent in the every-day offering of this character, giving it a decidedly spectacular stamp of worthy distinction. The submarine-proven to be the most formidable war implement that has almost paralyzed the commerce of the seas, is shown in action discharging a torpedo toward a huge ocean liner. A monstor U. S. bartleship cleared for action, and the invaluable air scout, the airplane, maneuvering about, are a few of the other scinnific results of stage realism that contribute to the production. In addition to the many delightful vocal numbers. "Married Via Wireless" contains an incresting plot relating the romance of wireless operator who falls in love with the daughter of the ship's capitan. His love is reciprocated, and the young couple planto wed, but they have not reckoned with the master, who proves obdirate, and in stentorian tones forbids the union. Not to be outdone by the irate parent, the lovers ingeniously contrive to apply modern invention to the consummation of their connubial bliss, and after a series of spirited scenes, they succeed in evading the scrutiny of the inventive to apply modern invention to the amount of the consummation of their connubial bliss, and after a series of spirited scenes, they succeed in evading the scrutiny of this country and Canada, and has been hailed as a splendid musician. In addition he is known operatic and concert stage singers. The coming of this country and Canada, and has been hailed as a splendid musician. In addition he is known as a composer of rure gifts. "Love is the Wind." There Nos," "Cradle Song" are several concert stage singers. The coming of this country and canada, and brisk, the work of Mullen and Congan is to be c

This is none other than the play which made Kyrle Bellew famous. It is taken from the book by the same name by B. A. Hornung. Mike Donlin, the former ball player, has a good part in this production. During the entire week the Hearst-Pathe pictures will be shown.

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e workless people across the wa-Warning is also given to fam-

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coats, night dresses, drawers, stock-lngs (1-6)), undergarments, petticoats, suits (two-piece), blouses, shees. Boys' and girls' wear—Hooded capes,

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tee to handle the donations

The members of Admiral Parragui \$10,600 being raised by the department to send ambulances to France. about two-thirds of that has been raised. At the business meeting of the

Baptiste d'Amerique was held Friday of the order were made by the presirefte, O.M.I., the organizer, J. E. Cro-teau and by the past president, Miss

Flore Doucette
The coming lecture of Fr. Cabanel
of the French chasseurs was talked of and all the members were urged to at-

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sand nine hundred and eighteen
F. M. ESTY, Register.

Appril, A. D. 1907, utterly deserted the libellant and said utter desertion has a continued for three consecutive years next prior to the filing of this libel; Said Ella M. Flanders was guilty of cruel and abusive treatment towards the libellant.

Libellant has lived in this Common-wealth for three consecutive years hext prior to the filing of this libel.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said Ella M. Flanders.

Dated this ninth day of March, A. D. 1918.

JAMES L. BLANDERS

JAMES L. FLANDERS.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex. S. Superior Court, March 12, A. D. 1918.

Upon the foregoing libel, it is ordered that the libellant notify the libellee to appear before our Justices of said Court, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of May next, by causing an attested copy of said libel and of the order thereon, to be published in The Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said last mentioned day, and that an attested copy of said libel and order thereon be sen by registered letter to the residence of the libelice as set out in the libel, that she may then and there show cause, ir any she have, why the prayer in said libel set forth should not be granted.

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

in said libel set forth should not be granted.

WM. C. Dillingham, Clerk.

A true copy of the libel and of the order theroon.

Attest,

WM. C. Dillingham, Clerk.

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WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

A true copy of the libel and of the order thereon.

Attest,
WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

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and by publishing the same in the Lowell Sun and Lowell Courier-Cilizen, newspapers printed at Lowell, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before said view, and also by posting the same in two public places in the said town of Billerica fourteen days before said view; and that he make return of his doings herein, to said commissioners, at the time and place fixed for said view and hearing.

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.
Copy of petition and order thereon. Attest.

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.
A true copy attest,
BERNARD F. GATELY.
Deputy Sherift.

Billerica, March 1, 1918.
To the Middlesex County Commissioners:
Respectfully represent the understrand five or more inhabitants of the town of Billerica, from the state road recently built of concrete at the focality called Sprague's Bridge easterly to the Talbot Mills, is in need of relocation and specific repairs.

Wherefore we pray that you will relocate and direct specific repairs on said road.

THOMAS F. SHERIDAN

THOMAS F. SHERIDAN
AND FIVE OTHERS.
A true copy attest.
BERNARD F. GATELY,
Deputy Sheria.

Estate of Anthony Walsh, late of Loveil, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, represented insolvent.

The subscribers, having been appointed by the Probate Court for said County, commissioners to receive and examine all claims of creditors against the estate of said Anthony Walsh, hereby give notice that six months from the ninth day of November A. D. 1917, are allowed to creditors to present and prove their claims against said estate, and that they will meet to examine the claims of creditors at 40s Sun Building, in said Lowell, on the twenty-third and thirtieth days of March, current, and the sixth day of April next, at 10 clock in the foreneon.

JOHN M. ODONOGRUE, JOHN M. O'DONOGHUE, FRANK GOLDMAN, Commissioners.

March 5, A. D. 1918, m7, 14, 18

LEGAL NOTICES

Court.
Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of Said Court, this eighth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eightnen.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

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Dated this second day of February D. 1918. MARY ROUSSEAU,

Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Amanda E. Ber-

MARYJANNA X KOCZRA. Witness to mark of M. K., Bennett Silverblatt,

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.—
Middlesex, ss. Superior Court.
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Middlesex, ss. Superior Court.
Upon the foresoing libel, it is ordered that the libellant notify the libelee to appear before our Justices of said Court, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of April mext, by causing an attested copy of said libel and of the order thereon, to be published in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said last mentioned day, and that an attested copy of said libel and order thereon be sent by registered letter to the residence of the libellee as set out in the libel-that he may then and there show cause, if any he have, why the prayer in said libel set forth should not be granted.

MM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk, M. 18, 25

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ROOM, furnished, steam heated, with heated privileges preferred, wanted by two young ladies; nice location, about ten minutes' walk from center of city. Write OS2, Sun Office.

POCKETHOOK containing money ost on Bridge st. or Lakeview ave Seturn to 28 Coburn st. Reward.

HANDRAG lost Sunday afternoon on helmsford, Jenness or Stevens sts.

SUM OF MONEY found on Broadway last week. Owner may have some by calling at 56 Claire st.



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WANTED 5-ROOM COTTAGE or flat wanted in good residential section. Phone 490:

PAPER NOVELS, bound books, disc ecords wanted. Merritt's Book Store, 77 Middlesex st.

Chelmsford, Jenness or Stevens sts., ontaining sum of money, brass key nd other articles. Reward if returned o 8 Frye st.

husband and wife in this Common, wealth, to wil, at Lowell aforesaid; that your libellant has always been faithful to her marriago vows and obligations, but the said Andrew (Koczra, Ibeing wholly regardless of the game, at Lowell aforesaid, in the month of March A. D. 1902, utterly described her and has contained such descretion from that time to the date hereof, being more than three consecutive years next prior to the filing of this libel.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the honds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said Andrew Koczra, and that the care and custody of their minor child, Edward Koczra, may be decreed to her.

Dated this second day of March A. D. 1918.

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CHAS. F. McGRATH, 271 Corbam st Eyes carefully examined and properly fitted without use of drugs. Leaset matched from broken pieces. Repair-ing promptly done. PIANO TUNERS

LOST AND FOUND

# **AMERICANLINES**

Important Telephone Wires of the kind they had ever seen for protecting rifles. The mechanism was turned over to the intelligence department with a recommendation that the attachment be furnished the American Held by Americans

Yankees Hold Mecklenburg

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN billets, troops and new enemy france, March 17.—(By the Asso- at Lahayville, St. Baussant, the WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN ciated Press.)—American intelligence of Montsec, Richecourt, in the Quart of Montsec, Richecourt, in the Quart of Montsec, Richecourt, in the Quart at work within the American lines from thwest of Toul. Early this morning an American sentry saw flashes of a signal light from a window facing in the direction of the enemy lines. He direction of the enemy lines. He an American sentry saw flashes of a signal light from a window facing in the direction of the enemy lines. He fired through the window and flashed into the house, but failed to find anyone. Four hours earlier some important telephone wires within the American lines were found to be cut.

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An American patrol last night entered the enemy trenches at one end of the sector and patrolled them for some distance without difficulty. Much valuable information was gathered. As

### A TIME FOR STRONG NERVES Air Crowded With Atribunes

There is No Tonic for the Nerves That Is Not a Tonic for Every Other Part of the Body.

Many people are worrying them-elves sick over the high cost of liv-

Ing.
War time with its excitement and hysteria is a trial to the strongest nerves. To those whose nervous systems are run down by overwork or worry, to those who are on the verge of neurasthenia, it is a time of dan-

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ger.

If your hand, your thumb or foot trembles when you hold it still, if the lines are shaky when you write, if you have tremors of your lips or tohin, your nerves need strengthening.

These signs often precede a serious nervous breakdown. In meeting this condition it is necessary to exercise care in the diet and take a nervine tonic. Dr. Williams Pink Pills contain ingredients that build up the nerves at the same time that they tone up the system in general and their value in preventing nervous disorders from developing cannot be disputed.

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tonic for this condition because they are non-alcoholic and neurasthenic patients should avoid alcoholic stimu-

The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., has published a little book on nervous disorders that contains a chapter on neurasthenia in which the symptoms are fully described and the correct treatment giv-

they were about to return, they estab-lished contact with the enemy, who opened fire with a machine gun. The Americans juniped to a safe position and hurled granades at the enemy gun-

and hurled greates at the enemy gumners, silencing the gum.
In returning to the American side of
No-Man's Land the raiders brought
back with them a German rifle breech,
protected by a metallic cover over the
nuzzle and a snap clip cover, both of
which operated quickly and efficiently.
Officers declared it was the best thing
of the kind they had ever seen for

Hold Enemy Front Line

Another patrol on the other end of the sector reported that the enemy first line was held strongly. While the raiders were inspecting the German positions the enemy fired upon them several times with rifes and machine several times with rifes and machine everal times with rines and macaine uns, which are unusual at that point. Our artillary bombarded effectively

Enemy Shells American Positions
The enemy has shelled various parts of our positions rather heavily, many gas shells being mixed with high explosives. Some American soldiers who happened to be near or who walked through the shelled area afterwards said there were indications that the enemy was trying to isolate one of our positions with shell fire. The visibility was exceptionally good today and the weather was like summer. A great number of wagon trains and small number of wagon trains and small groups of Germans were seen walking behind the enemy lines.

Several times during the day the air was crowded with airplanes and on one occasion several enemy machines were overhead at the same time. Airplanes from the rear of our lines, carrying American observers, maneuvered to get into a fight with the enemy machines, but were unsuccessful. American anti-aircraft guns drove off a number of enemy machines and kept the others high in the air.

American observers succeeded in ac American observer successful in complishing much work which the recent ground haze had prevented. They obtained badly wanted photographs and observed certain things back of the German lines.

#### Germans Forced to Retire

American troops in the Luneville sec-tor have been subjected to fairly heavy bombardments during the last 14 hours, but have been giving the enemy as much as received. Patrols at two points established contact with emy as much as received. Fairois at two points established contact with the enemy last night and early this morning. After a brief firing the Ger-mans retired.

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American soldiers are still tolding the Mecklenburg trench, taken two days ago, which it is now permitted to name. The anti-aircraft guas east of Luneville were extremely busy to-day in driving off enemy airplaues.

is not a tonic for every other part of the body. There is no form of debility that does not rob the nerves of nourishment. The remedy therefore for nervous breakdown is a tonic that will build up the general health, revitalize the blood and enable it to carry to the nerves the elements that they need. ney need.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are an ideal price for this condition because they re non-alcoholic and neurasthenic simulations and neurasthenic simulations. Which were a better purpose in the army and hence the donation.

REPLANK TYNGSHORO BRIDGE ontains a chapter on neurasthenia in the county commissioners held at the count the symptoms are fully described and the correct treatment given. The booklet is free on request, or. Williams' Pink Fills are sold your own druggist or will be sent a mail, postpaid, on receipt of price, cents per box, six boxes for \$2.50. At the regular monthly meeting of

# PERCRUIT SCHOOLBOYS FOR Illicate aid a Reserve button. If he inhibites the yacation season and receive an analysis of the same real ways called, because the first line wants their same. The government's hope is to get every with has been called to the colors by the nations and state for the same real sort, which has been called to the colors by the nations and state for the same real sort, which has been called to the colors by the nations and state for the same real sort, which has been called to the colors by the nations and state for the same real sort, which has been called to the colors by the nations and state for the same real sort, which has been called to the colors by the nations and state for the same real sort, which has been called to the colors by the nations and state for the same real sort, which has been called to the colors by the nations and state for the same real sort that reserves are always called, because the first line wants their same. The government's hope is to get every sort the help of the professional farmers, who now and always are the chief producers of the nation's food. But less formuly there is buling sorolled and morbited another auxiliary rood army. The farms need willing boy works are sorted for the farm of the front the short of the nation's food. But less formuly there is buling sorolled and mobilised another auxiliary rood army. The farms need willing boy works and the state of the color of the nation's food. But less formuly there is buling sorolled and mobilised another auxiliary rood army. The farms need willing boy works and the state of the nation's food. But less formuly there is buling sorolled and mobilised another auxiliary rood army. The farms need willing boy works are sorted to go to the formulation of the food the nation's food. But less formuly there is buling sorolled and mobilised another auxiliary rood army. The farms need willing boy works and the food the profession of the food the profession of the food the profession of the food the nation's food.

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There will be a special drive conducted this week at the war work headquarters in Merrimack street, to enroll boys over 16 years of age in the Boys' Working reserve. The purpose and City Solicitor William D. Regan, is to secure boys to be called upon later for farm work.

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May of North Lincoln street, Bath, Me., in an endeavor to locate her mother. Mrs. Emma Doloff and her sister. Miss Dollie Doloff.

The woman states that she has not seen her mother and sister for 30 years, or since she was a child. She also tells about learning that the protter and sister were employed in mother and sister were employed in cotton mills in this city years ago. The name Doloff does not appear in the directory and the mayor would welcome any news concerning Mrs.

seeking her mother

"I do want to find my mother and sister, for I am all alone in this world and I do want to find them." Such is a part of a letter written to Mayor Perry D. Thompson by Gertrude Mc-

# her FORMER LOWELL RESIDENT MA-

William Frederick Brown, chief ma-chinist's mate in the United States navy, died Saturday at the U. S. Naval hospital in Chelsea, aged 43 years. Deceased was born at Newburgh, N. Y. and had been a resident of this city The directory and the mayor would welcome any news concerning Mrs.

Emma Doloff.

MATRIMONIAL

Mechanician Grant H. Gillett, of the supply company of the 304th infanty at Camp Devens, and Miss Anna Conroy of this city were married March.

The Matrix of the supply company of the 304th infanty at Camp Devens, and Miss Anna Conroy of this city were married March.

The body was removed to his home by Undertaker William H. Saunders.

### Daily Bulletin from War Work Headquarters 119 MERRIMACK STREET

# Open From Nine to Nine THE PRESIDENT'S CALL FOR BOYS

SPECIAL ENROLMENT FOR BOYS 16 to 21, March 18th to A special effort is being made during the next two weeks to enrol every boy, in town.

President Wilson has said of this movement: Let me express the hope that the young men of the country not now permanently employed may eagerly enter the Boys' Working Reserve. To give the young men between the ages of 16 and 21 the privilege of spending their spare time in productive enterprise without interrupling their studies in school, while their older brothers are battling in the trenches and on the sens, must greatly increase the means of providing for the forces at the front and the maintenance of those whose services

The British Recruiting Mission is represented in the city of Lowell by Mr. L. E. Field at the War Work Headquarters. Applicants should apply to this gentleman and will be sent to Boston for medical

Enrolment for U. S. Public Service Reserve. Eurol here for the Lowell branch.

Food conservation. SAVE WHEAT. The ban was lifted on meat so that you could save wheat.

Smileage Books on sale. War Savings Stamps on sale.

"Eyes for the Navy." Field glasses wanted to aid in watch-

ing for submarines.

Subscriptions for the Red Triangle, the Welfare Fund, and Red Cross Memberships received here.

Think of having the largest washing

done and out on the line by 10 o'clock-and

being ready to enjoy the rest of the day as

you please—without a trace of fatigue. This

happens in hundreds of Lowell homes every

Ask any woman who owns a THOR Electric Washing Machine

Let us demonstrate the THOR at your home next washday.

if she would part with it. Ask her if she would go back to the

old hand method of washing and wringing and see her look of

See for yourself just what this remarkable machine will do and

how much more happiness you can put into your housework by

Sold On Easy Monthly Payments

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C'MON, BOYS, ENROLL!

Hour Sales FOR TUESDAY

8 TO 9 A. M.

27c Value Thick Meaty SMOKED SHOULDERS 23c

9 TO 10 A. M. 7c Value SUNNY MONDAY SOAP BAR 5c

3 TO 4 P. M. (While They Last) Sunnyside Farm

HOME PRESERVED PEARS (Packed in Pint and Quart Jars) 35c Size .... 23c qt. | 20e Pint Size...... 15c

> 4 TO 5 P. M. Monadnock Brand

BAKED RED KIDNEY BEANS 18c Value, 2 cans ......27c

MONDAY NIGHT SPECIALS

7 TO 9 P. M.

12c Prunes, 3 lbs. 25c

28c Gold Dust. 22c | 30c Yacht Club Salad Dressing .....23c 4c Onions ...3 lbs. 5c 26c Corned Shoulders,

Do you ever consider the cleanliness and the manner in which YOUR FOOD is handled before you buy

Probably you have noticed all our meats are displayed on marble.

Our meat case is entirely of marble which is washed with hot water every night and thoroughly

disinfected.

It's worth our time. Is it worth 7e Am. Sardines...6c | your trade?

now is the agricultural. To recruit millions of boys for this unit the U. S. Boys' Working Reserve will start a nation-wide membership drive beginning Monday, March 18. The drive will last

one week.

There are over 5,000,000 boys 16 to 21, in the United States. Of those more than 2,000,000 usually are idle during the summer school vacation k. are over 5,060,000 boys 16 to he United States. Of those,

# HAVE COLOR IN CHEEKS

Be Better Looking-Take Olive Tablets

If your skin is yellow—complexion pallid tingue coated—appetite poor—you have bad taste in your mouth—a lazy, no-good celing—you should take Olive Tablets. Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets-a substitut arcalomel—were prepared by Dr. Edwards after 17 years of study with his patients. Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a purely egetable compound mixed with olive oil ou will know them by their olive color. To have a clear, pink skin, bright eyes, pimples, a feeling of buoyancy like fildhood dayayou must get at the cause. Dr. Edwardo' Olive Tablets act on the ret and bowch like calomel—yet have

o dangerous after effects.
They start the bile and overcome consti-That's why millions of boxes are ild annually at 102 and 25e per box. All Working Reserve," ruggists. Take one or two nightly and Enrollment Certificate ote the pleasing results.



This is the life! Scenes at farm camps of U. S. Boys! Working Reserve who last summer aided in war food producing. Above, a lad cutting hay; below, a group of happy young fellows after a day's work, resting in their camp tent. Similar scenes will be familiar in all parts of rural America this summer. Want to curoll?

service:
"I do selemnly swear or affirm that
I will loyally and faithfully perform
any work that I may undertake as a
member of the United States Boys'
Working Reserve,"

He is then given an enrollment cer-

cipal agrees.

Every boy must have the written consent of his parents or guardians. He must take the following eath of service:

"I do selemnly swear or affirm that with horses and farm machinery. Good wages, good and plenty food, companionship of other boys oceans in will loyally and fathfully perform any work that I may undertake as a member of the United States Boys Working Reserve;

Enrollment Certificate

For the boy who enlists in the Reserve there'll be:

lenty of good, mustle-building work, with horses and farm machinery. Good wages, good and plenty food, companionship of other boys oceans to be real patriots by helping their control. He will never regret !!!

What the Boys Say

What the Boys Say
"The work is hard, but I enjoy it

UNITED

amazement at your question.

washday.

STATES WAR SAVINGS CERTIFICATES AND THRIFT STAMPS On Sale at the Cashier's Window

THE LOWELL ELECTRIC LIGHT CORP.

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PRICE ONE CENT

PARIS, March 15, (Delayed)—Two violent explosions today in a factory at La Courneuve, north of several score in a school in which corry at La Courneuve, north of several score in a school in which corry at La Courneuve, north of several score in a school in which corry at La Courneuve, north of several score in a school in which corry window was shattered by the concussion.

Firemen were unable to approach burning factory nearer than 800 yards. Survivors declare that the accident was due to a man dropplail, the military governor of Paris, has instructed Capt. Lurcher, the ludge advocute of the first court martiel of Paris to open an investigation. The causes of the explosions have not yet been determined clearly. La Courneuve is seven kilometres from the cathedral of Notre Dame, in the direction of St.

kilometres from the cathedral of Notre Dame, in the direction of St.

Americans Aid In Relief Work

American Red Cross and army ambulances were among the first at ambulances were among the first at the scene of the explosion. A large fleet of ambulances, kept at the American hospital at Neuilly for emergency purposes, started for the scene within a few minutes after the explosion with two men on each car. Officers of the hospital also report to the scene to supervise re-

went to the scene to supervise removal of the injured.

A number of wounded were carried away in motor trucks of the American army. American soldiers approached to within a few hundred words of the hurning helidings. approached to within a few hun-dred yards of the burning buildings and carried the injured across felds to vehicles waiting to move the vic-

merican army officer dressed

koofs and windows miles from the building were demollshed, while buildings collarsed like houses of cards. In every quarter of Paris windows were shattered and furni-

windows were shattered and furniture was overturned.

In a public school at Aubervillers
there was a panic and four girls
died from fright.

Neurly 1909 persons are shelterles
as the result of damage to their
liomes. The American Red Cross,
to co-pierating with the prefecture of
the Seine and the local authorities,
is providing for them.

Regarding the assistance given the
fied Cross by American sofders, a

Red Cross by American soldiers, a municipal councillor of Bourget, near where the explosion occurred, said.

"We must pay homage to the
manner in which the American
Red Cross organized assistance.
American soldiers showed devotion
not to be forgotten in finding the
injured, giving first aid, moving the
unfortunates to safer localities and

# REPORT 30 KILLED IN BIG General Alarm Fire Caused Loss DILLON OPENS CAMPAIGN EXPLOSION NEAR PARIS of \$50,000 in Lumber District FOR HOME RULE R. R. Bridge Threatened



VIEW OF FIRE FROM RAILROAD BRIDGE

Rear of Building Fell Into Canal-

Property Nearby Threatened—Many

Incipient Fires Caused by Flying

Embers-10,000 People on Scene

### ST. PATRICK'S DAY et worthy manner yesterday, heroism. And my friends as the value Cady and Sons' Box Shop Guttedof virtue and heroism is realized today as never before we should feel great pride tonight in gathering here to honor one who was both saint and

The local friest Catholic societies of virtu played the principal part in the day's program and in almost every instance the first number was the reception of wholy communion in a body. Later in to know the day and in the evening entertainments were held in the halls of the values coaleties.

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ments were held in the halls of the various societies.

The members of the three local divisions of the Hibernians, 14°S and 11, the Ladies' auxillary, A.O.H., Clannard, Gael, Irish, National Brotherhood, Irish, National Foresters and Friends of Irish Freedom met in Hibernian hall at 7.36 yesterday morning and marched in a body to St. Patrick's church. Music was provided by the Irish Volunteer Drum corps with Francis J. Kierce of the Welfe Tone Guards as marshal. Directly following were D. J. Murphyone of the oldest Hibernians in the country, with James O'Sullivan, as a veteran. Dr. Patrick J. Barley and provided masters on the slones of Ireland, Patrick is indeed well known by name, but his marvelous personality is not perhaps as much appreciated as the server to occurate was said again by Prof. Newell, "his saintly life should frequently be the subject of should frequently be the subject of the ideal life of the Divine Son of the glory of St. Patrick is old yet ever new to ds. We are never tired of hearing of the gentle youth who was taken captive in his native village and compelled to tend swine as a slave for his Druidle masters on the slones. with James O'Sullivan, also n. Dr. Patrick J. Bagley and uncil were also at the head of the

isle for the paraders. Rev. Joseph a::Curtin celebrated the mass and Rev. ames J. Kerrigan, chaplain of the lo-Hibernians assisted in giving comunion. Fr. Kerrigan also preached strong sermon and congratulated the embers of the societies on their explent turnout. Rt. Rev. Wm. O'Brien, R., was present in the sanctuary. During the progress of the mass St. societies choir under the direction of the likely sangaparoniza hypers.

ohn J. Kelty sang appropriate hymns, s the members were marching out of se church the drum corps played

#### The Afternoon Program

hall yesterday afternoon with about 600 members of the order present. President Kenney of the central council called to order and introduced Dr. Patrick's J. Bagley as teastmaster. The latter spoke briefly on the significance of St. Patrick's day and then introduced Lawyer Patrick A. Hayes as the orator of the day. Mr. Hayes spoke on the life of St. Patrick and went into detail in regard to the great work of Erin's in regard to the great work of Erin's nostle and the results of his work as mirrored in present day events.

Lawyer Patrick A. Hayes

Mr. Hayes spoke in part as follows: Prof. Newell says that the life of a saint wisely studied leads to saintli-



#### When Do You Think the War Will Stop?

the War Will Stop?

Is the question we are asking cach other in this country more frequently these days.

It will never stop until the originators and self elected controllers of this awful war cease to alay the game for universal ruler-ship of the entire world, or give up the idea that any settlement can be made upon terms to be distincted by the aggressors responsible for the destruction they have entailed.

We at home, especially the women, follow the spring fashions in the path prescribed by war necessities. Since our men in the service need the wool to keep them warm and dry, women use more silk and less wool, and owing to the limited supply of all materials use as little as possible of free others.

Our Mrs. Shepard keeps in close

use as little as possible of my of them.

Our Mrs. Shepard keeps in close touch with the New York markets and we show you entire new models about every wook or ten days Come in and see them.

hero-the saintly apostle of Ireland

love to hear of his landing and his conversion; of his tests of skill

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and liability to service instead of on An interesting program of addresses Crowder, will be laid before President and music was carried out in A.O.H. Wilson tonight by Representative hall yesterday afternoon with about Dent of Alabama, chairman of the

> WAGE **ADVANCE**

class too many men as necessary for

work at home.

Again the workers of Lowell are encouraged in their good work by a voluntary advance of wages. H

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Show your appreciation and good business judgment by add-ing to your deposit in the

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417 MIDDLESEX ST. The worker's friend for 47 years. Bank Hours: Daily, 9 to 1;

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with the Druidic priests; of his mar velous power to stir the natives by hi

# recteber street, shortly after noon to-day and within an hour and a half the online building was gutted and the ma-for portion of the contents were de-stroyed. It is roughly estimated that the loss to the building and contents will be chout \$50,000. CONG. DENT HAS

WASHINGTON, March 13.-A plan to shellenberger said he would noint out to the president that the administra-tion plan would work inequalities in the number of righting men given by the different states, and would leave temptation open to local boards to

its weekly review today the department records the conclusion that the enemy, in spite of his vast preparations, will not take the

Although the wind was not strong the contents of the building made good food for the flames and before the first

Fire which necessitated the sounding of a general alarm broke out in the basement of Cady & Sons' box shop in Western avenue, near the corner of Fletcher street, shortly after noon today and within an hour and a half the cultire building was gutted and the major portion of the contents were de-

# the number of men in class one, as proposed by Provost Marshall General Crowder, will be laid before Prosident Wilson tonight by Representative Dent of Alabama, chairman of the house military affairs committee, and Representative Shellenberger of Nebraska, who declined to concur in the committee's favorable report on a bill sponsored by the administration and by General Crowder. Representative Shellenberger said he would noint out to the president that the administration for the house military affairs committee in the administration and by General Crowder. Representative Shellenberger said he would noint out to the president that the administration the number of righting men given by the different states, and would leave to Do It, Say U.S. Experts

many's threat of a great spring an offensive movement. offensive on the western from no Activity of American Forces longer impresses American military Much of the statement is

vast preparations, will took take the offensive unless forced into it. This confirms the opinion many officers have expressed for weeks, in the face of official forceasts to the contrary from both sides of the Atlan-

tic. "While hostile preparations for an offensive in the west are not sleek-ening." the review says, "It is be-coming more evident that the enemy will launch the offensive only if compelled to do so by the exigen-cies of the general strategic situ-

compelled to do so by the exigencies of the general strategic situation."

The nature of the information upon which the opinion is based is not disclosed. It is noted that fresh German lines are said to be approaching the point in density beyond which it would be impossible to go wilhout choking communication lines and hampering free movement of reserves. Apparently, however, this concentration has come

WASHINGTON, March 18 .- Ger- to be regarded as a defensive not preliminary bombardment lasting

Much of the statement is devoted to the activities of the American troops, now engaged on rive separate fronts, one of the sectors tying close to the Swiss border. The official communique however, adds nothing to recently published press reports of the raids and trench fighting in which Americans have been involved.

Elsewhere on the western front of these operations were carried out.

three-quarters of an hour we drove a highly successful raid against a

rolled.

Elsewhere on the western front the experts find no evidence of important major activities by either side. The statement notes, however, indications of Austro-German units were able to reach their obscincentrations in the Italian theatre which may forecast assaults on the Australian or Erroscia. to the attackers swept forward into the German second line. Our men remained for nearly an hour in the German positions and retired after inflicting much damage and capturing a considerable quantity of masterial.

Increase In Sniping
"There has been a decided increase
In sulping owing to more favorable
weather conditions. weather conditions,
"We kept up a vigorous bom-

there is a great lesson to be learned by British statesmen," said John Ditlon today, on making his first public ful and loyal, and are reaping the bitter harvest of their misleeds."

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From the grave of John Redmond to their honor and their pledges. They there is a great lesson to be learned betrayed Redmond, while he was faith-

# MASS. TROOPS IN ACTION AT CHEMIN DES DAMES

west of Toul. Photographs show the complete destructiveness of their gun The German artillery fire has been

# URGES RUSSIA TO BACK ALLIES

Russia's Acceptance of Peace Terms Denounced by Russian Ambassador

Says Conditions Threaten the of the Country

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Russia's eceptance of the German peace terms denounced here today by Boria Bukhmeteif, the Russian ambassador, who last November formally repudiated the Bolshevik government.

The conditions imposed by Germany, the ambassador declared, threaten the

existence and independence of the country. The embassy, he declares, will continue to advocate co-operation with the allies in the war on Ger-

sition in the following statement:
"A sinister pact of submission has closed the circle of happenings that have Inid Russia open to the aggres-

enslavement.

"To this broad task of liberation, conceivable only with the co-operation bardment on the rear areas opposite

gur Toul sector.
"Near the Swiss border where an-

our Toul sector.

"Near the Swiss border where another detachment of our men is in the trenches, hostile bombardments were frequent."

The statement adds:
"The arrival of our scoretary of war in France is noted. During the last week he has had interviews with the leading French authorities and is about to undertake a careful inspection of our schools, training areas, rest camps, as well as those sectors of the front where our forces are in action.
"In the eastern thealre the chief operation of the weel culminated in the capture of Odessa. The occupation of Odessa will be no doubt of economic importance to the enemy."
"In Finland fighting continues. German infantry has landed at Alea and the arrival of important additional German forces on the Aland Islands is reported. Islands is reported.

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"In Palestine the British have pushed their lines 18 miles north of Jerusalem."

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FRANCE, March 15 - (By the Assoct ated Press)-American artillery fast night again bombarded supposed gas projectors in the German lines north

decreasing in intensity to a certain extent, indicating that the enemy finds

and direct support of the allies to this achievement, which should raily, without difference of factions, all those who strive to the establishment those who strive to the establishment of a politically united and economically independent Russian democracy, will the embassy in Washington continue to consecrate all its endeavor and effort, inding a source of inspiration and confidence in the noble and heartful attitude of sympathy and assistance which the Americans never cause to manifest to Russia in the cease to manifest to Russia in the hours of her darkest trial."

#### WILL BE EXEMPTED Ruling on Men Who Enter

Merchant Marine Service BOSTON, March 18 .- Men who ente Existence and Independence the merchant marine training service

of the United States shipping board will be exempted from the military draft, under a special ruling made public today by Henry Howard, directo of recruiting here. Exemption will continue as long as the men remain in the merchant marine service to which they

# After the War —What? Reconstruction and good

times, we hope. worry will be less, your

contentment greater, if you have a snug sum in the bank drawing interest. Why, then, do you wait? Begin now to set aside a

Interest begins April 1st in the savings depart-

little each week.

Old Lowell National Bank 9

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AT LINCOLN HALL
St. Patrick's Night

Dancing Miner-Doyle Orchestra

At Pawtucket Boat House PINE TREE CAMPERS

Admission 35 Cents. Dancing 8 to 1 PAWTUCKET BOAT HOUSE

Gents 25c, Ladies 15c





March 18, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that all licenses to use or employ wagons, carts, sieighs or other vehicles in the job or express business, or to use or employ hackney conches, cabs, coupes or carriages to convey persons from place to place for him, will expire March 31, 1918. Applications for renewal of such licenses should be made at this office not later than noon, March 23, 1918.

Licenses for pawnbrokees.

DEATHS

H. Rourke, Thomas Rowe, Henry J. O'Dowd, Lawrence J. Cummings and Frank E. Tracey. Interment was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cometer, where Rev. Fr. McQuade read the committal prayers at the grave. Fr. arrangements were in charge of Mr. Joseph McCarron under the direction of kenteral Director Lames W. Mere Rev. Alvin C. Steady died Sat-

Frederick Ayer in his youn year had been been brotter after.

BTEADY—Alvin C. Steady died Sattiffag at Westboro, aged 35 years. He leaves his wife, Mrs. Helle E. Steady:

In of Fuheral Director James W. Me Kenne.

Band one sister, Mrs. Helle E. Steady:

In one brother, Lyman of Burlington, Vi. and one sister, Mrs. Olive J. Garrow of Essex Centre, Vt. He was a member of Lowell lodge, St. 619.0. Elks.

ELDRINGE—Charles Clifford Elf-dridge, high the home of his parents, and the home of his parents, 17 First street, aged H. days. Besides his parents, he leaves one brother, All-hert F. Eldridge.

POISSON—Henry Poisson, son of All-phonss and Clarina Poisson of All-house his parents, James F. and Whinited Hessin, 57 Mt. Grove street, Burghons and Clarina Poisson of All-house his parents, James F. and Whinited Hessin, 57 Mt. Grove street, Burghons and Clarina Poisson of All-house his parents, James F. and Whinited Hessin, 57 Mt. Grove street, Burghons and Clarina Poisson of All-house his parents, James F. and Whinited Hessin, 57 Mt. Grove street, Burghons and Clarina Poisson of All-house his parents, James F. and Whinited Hessin, 57 Mt. Grove street, Burghons and Clarina Poisson of All-house his parents, James F. and Whinited Hessin, 57 Mt. Grove street, Burghons and Clarina Poisson of All-house his parents, James F. and Whinited Hessin, 57 Mt. Grove street, Burghons and Clarina Poisson of All-house his parents, James F. and Whinited Hessin, 57 Mt. Grove street, Burghons and Clarina Poisson of All-house his parents, James F. and Whinited Hessin, 57 Mt. Grove street, Burghons and Clarina Poisson of All-house his parents, James F. and Whinited Hessin, 57 Mt. Grove street, Burghons and Clarina Poisson of Hessin took place (and the first parents).

phones and Clarina Poisson of the Lilley avenue, died vesterday afternoon at the home of his parents, aged 3 years and 6 months.

SULLIVAN—James Sullivan, aged 37 years, died yesterday at St. John's hospital. Nothing is known of his relatives, although he stated before his death, that he had a sister named Mrs. Egan in Lawrence. Efforts have been made to locate her but without success. The body was taken to the rooms of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

BOOTH—George Booth died suddenity Saturday at his hodging house. 23 Inutton street. His body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker William H. Saunders, 217 Appleton street.

Meinthre—George E. Melntire died this morning at his home, 605 Wilder street, aged 76 years. He leaves his wife, lenk L. McIattice, one son, hierbert E. of this city; two brothers, alongood the process of the process of the process of the process of the room of War Prisoners' association.

POWERS—William F. Powers, will known young man of St. Patrick parish, died this morning at his home, 50 Anne street. Descased was a fative of this city and a former standent of St. Patrick Boys school. Holes and Anna Powers.

CASEY—Mrs. Blanche F. Casey, Gooth at 10 o'clock from the funeral chapet and charge of the funeral arrangements.

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The Forced Sale of Framed Pictures and

Now is the time to buy your best loved subjects at about half price.

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I WILL NOT—let a piece of work leave my office unless it is guaranteed. I WILL NOT-charge TRUST prices for

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MEDICINE FIRST—on sensitive teeth. REAL painless dentistry. Over five thousand patients satisfied and boosting—Get acquainted with Lowell's up-to-date family dentist.

Nitrous Oxide Cas administered.

Lady attendant.

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#### INTERESTING LETTERS FROM LOWELL SOLDIERS IN THE WAR ZONE

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Honest Opinion Doctor Gave His Patient

Bedford, Ohio.—"I was in a pitiful condition, weak, nervous and run down so I could not do my housework. I had dectored for years and tried everything under the sun. A friend told me about Vinol. I asked my doctor about it, and he replied, "It certainly is the best medicine that can be had today. I couldn't give you any better." I took it, and today I am as well and strong as any woman could wish to be, and it was Vinol that saved me."—Mrs. Frank A. Horkoy, Ash St., Bedford, Ohio.

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Ligget's Riker-Jaynes Drug Store,
Lowell Pharmacy, Routhler & Delisle,
Propa, Falls & Berkhashaw, F. J.
Campbell, Lowell, and at the best
drug stores in every town and city
to the country.



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# PRE-EASTER STYLE SHOW



# Coats, Suits, Dresses, Skirts and Waists

Over 1000 Distinctive, Exclusive Styles Economy is the Watchword

THESE ARE WAR TIMES

No Expensive Living Models, No Expensive Music

But we are giving you better values, better quality, better styles by practicing



### Our Style Showing This Season Surpasses Our Past Best Efforts

Wonderful Suits, Beautiful Coats, Stunning Dresses. Our values are unbeatable this season. If you want Quality, Style and Value, let us show you this wonderful collection.

SUIT SPECIALS | Silk Dress Special | \$29,50 \$19.95 \$35,00

\$14.95 \$19.95

\$18.75 \$25.00 \$29,50

COAT SPECIALS

- Others Priced -

\$25.00, \$27.50, \$32.50, \$37.50, \$9.95, \$12.95, \$16.95, \$22.50, \$12.95, \$16.95, \$22.50, \$32.50,

is generally regarded as the most trying month for colds, and it proves so
here.

The sick rate, shown by the weekly
report, is 32 out of every 1000 in
comp, which contrasts with a report of
less than 30 for several months. At
present there are 913 cases of all
kinds in the base hospital, due largely to the fact that all men among the
6500 new arrivals showing any ailments were sent at once to the hospital for treatment.
There are at present 46 cases of
pneumonia, 15 of scarlet fever, two of
diphtheria and 14 of measles. There
are about 25,000 men in camp at present.

The total number of deaths from sickness since camp opened is 44. Show by Filenc's Girls' Club The big Sunday afternoon attrac-

tion was the lively show put on at the Liberty theatre by 55 girls of the Pilene's Girls' club for the benefit of the 317th Field Signal Battalion, It seemed as if 4000 were packed in that building, which happened to be heated by 11 furnaces on this hottest day of the season.

Co. A of the interesting signal out-fit entertained the girls at dinner in barractes, serving them army style, and then marched to the show in com-

and then marched to the show a com-pany formation. Pres. Henry G. Wells of the senate. Representative Alvin E. Biss of Malden and E. A. Filene were in the audience. Lieuts. Harry Welder of New York city and Q. A. Shaw McKean of Bos-ton, both in the 76th division head-quarters troop, have been promoted to containts. captaincies.

Mai, Charles A. Brown, division gas anal. Charles A. Brown, aivision gas officer, has been made division sani-tary inspector, and Maj. Joseph L. Siner. formerly sanitary inspector, has been made assistant division surgeon in Lieut. Col. W. A. Powoll's office.

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Best Printing, Tobia's, Asso. Bidg.

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\$39.50, \$42.50, \$45.00 to \$79.50. |\$27.50, \$29.50, \$32.50 to \$75.00 |\$37.50, \$39.50, \$45.00 to \$55.00.

The local smileage campaign ended officially Saturday evening and from the returns made to date a total of \$124 worth of books were sold. This does not include those that were sold at the Y.M.C.A. or Steinert's as returns from those agencies have not yet been made. Smileage books will be kept on sale at these two places as well as at the war work headquarters in Merrinack street.

An announcement which will be of interest to recent graduates of the Lowell high school as well as to the younger set generally is that of the engagement of Miss Elizabeth H. Cult. daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Cult. of 249 East Merrimack street, to First Lieut. Joseph M. Reilly, son of Patrick T. Reilly of Chapel street. Miss Cull was a Carnoy medal scholar in the high school graduating class of 1916. Lieut. Reilly is a Plattsburg man and is now located at Camp Devens.

George M. Osgood, of 613 School street, was 30 years of ago Saturday and on this occasion his home was



#### Foley's Honey and Tar HELPS COUGHS QUICKLY FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR takes right

Folley's Honey and Tartakes right hold of an obstinate cough and gives quick relief.

It puts a healing coating on the inflamed membranes that line the throat and air passages. It stops the tickling, loosens and raises phlegm easily. It is just aplendid for bronchial and la grippe coughs, and light, wheezy breathing.

Mrs. W. S. Balley, Lancaster, Ky., coughed almost continuously day and night, until she rook Folgy's thorey and Tar. After taking half a bottle, her cough began to slow up, and seven bottles entirely cored her cough.

such a Sunday or such a crowd as yesterally. The day was balmy. Soldiers is strolled and went on easy bikes in their O. D. shirts. The roads were crowded with lundreds of automobiles find of visitors.

Traffic regulation was difficult. One kept several members of the fire young woman from Fitchburg was knocked flown on a depot brigade road by a machine in which an officer was hospital, found to he not injured and sent to her home.

This sudden changing of weather, from mid-winter to late spring variety which has been going on for several weeks now, is reflected in an increasing sick report at camp. March is generally regarded as the most trying month for colds, and it proves so here.

Soft coal, 66 cars; hard coal, 25 cars log the day and och, 25 cars coke, I car.

A soot fire in one of the chimneys of the Robertson Furniture Co. building and congratulate the grand old man. There was no formal observance of the day Mir. Osgood, who is still enjoying the best of health, was showered with substantial gifts and best wishes.

Commissioner James E. Donnelly and Mrs. Katherine Müllin Greene, two well known singers of this city, took an active part in the program that was given at a concert conducted last versing in Manchester-by-the-Sea for the benefit of the Sacred Heart church is generally regarded as the most trying month for colds, and it proves so ingenerally regarded as the most trying month for colds, and it proves so in the fire trying made to date a total of \$12.00 to an additional congratulate the grand old man. There was no formal observance of the day Mir. Osgood, who is still enjoying the event. But the group and congratulate the grand old man. There was no formal observance of the day Mir. Osgood, who is still enjoying the event. But the group and congratulate the grand old man. There was no formal observance of the devent. But the group and congratulate the grand old man. There was no formal observance of the group and congratulate the grand congratulate the grand congratulate the grand congratulate. T

which have been abandoned after uso by the Boston & Maine rallroad will not be fed to the customary bonfires beside the tracks this year. Instead they will the tracks this year. Instead they will supply fires for hundreds of railroad stations, switchmen's shelters, work-shops and other buildings where coal is not needed to maintain high pressure steam service. At Lewell Junction the railroad has set up a portable saw mill and discarded ties will be sent there to be cut into fuel sizes for use next winter. Railroad officials estimated today that thousands of cords of wood would that thousands of cords of wood would ter. Railroad officials estimated today that thousands of cords of wood would be utilized in this manner.

# **BOSTON STUDENT AVIATOR** KILLED BY FALL

MIAMI, Fla., March 18.—Francis El-liott Langdon of Boston, a student ob-server at the naval aeronautical sta-tion here, died today at the City hospital of injuries sustained Saturday when his scaplane fell—Into Biscayne Bay, His back was broken.

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in astonishment when we think of the extent of his great labors.

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In these days of rushing and pushing, beyond the endurance of even the most robust, nearly every man and woman needs this blood-purifying, it has not supplied, the depiction of the blood and the broken-down nerves may soon give way to permanent ill-leadth.

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Gaci. Tennyson's tribute to the Light Brigade which fought at Ballakalava under Lord Caddogen, is a noble and just outburst by one of different race and faith.

It is these sentiments, my friends,

It is these sentiments, my friends, that now inspire the numerous young men represented by that service flag from this hall; it is such ideas that are inspiring our fine young men of Irish blood all over this country and all over the world; it is these sentiments that make our boys proud to follow Old Glory, that make their blood tingle on hearing the Star Spangled Banner; that make them willing to fight for, yes, die for this, their country—for our country.

In conclusion, my friends, tet me say for myself that I am sure for you that we are all proud of the part which those of our ancient race are playing in this great war. We are proud that

in this great war. We are proud that so many of Irish blood, comely of limb, kind of heart, idealistic in sentiment, responded so promptly to their country's call. It enables us to proudly say in the words of Boyle O'Rellly that,

We bring no treason from Erin, We bring no shame or guift. The sword we hold may be broken But we have not lost the hilt.

Husic and Speeches

Commissioner James E. Donnelly entertained with songs and was fol-lowed by County President Joseph J. O'Leary in an address appropriate to



the day. Brother Nevins sang several well received numbers and. Sheehar and Wall's orchestra gave pleasure with a number of selections.

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James O'Sullivan was next introduced and got his usual warm reception. He delivered a characteristic speech and said that Irishmen were ever ready to help the United States when she needed, help.

He was followed by James Daly in happing selections and other numbers included John F. Stapleton, songs; James Miskella, address: Thomas Breen, songs; Supt. Redmond Welch, James O'Sullivan was

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ornitivan did it. Conservace. Schillivan did it. When he successfully cruised over the billows of a vocal selection.

Later in the afternoon three members of the Hibernians who are now in the mailtonal service and stationed at Camp Devens, appeared in the hall and entertained with songs. They were Sergt. Philip Murphy and Privates James M. and Thomas J. Kerrigan. They were followed by Brother Cassidy of Lawrence and Edward O'Conneli of this city, in songs.

James O'Sullivan. Dr. Patrick J. Bagley and James McManmon were named as a committee to write a letter of regret to Corp. Edw. J. Flannery, former president of Division 8 who is critically ill at Camp Gordon, Gs. The finale of the program was the singing of the national anthem.

#### Appeopriate Decorations

The hall was appropriately and tastefully decorated for the occasion with an intermingling of the Ameri-can and Irish colors.

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Seated on the platform, besides the toastmaster, were James O'Sullivan, chairman of the committee on arrangements: County Pres. J. J. O'Leary, Lawyer Patrick J. Hayes, Sunt. Redmond Welch, Charles L. Marren, Jaa McManmon, President Kenney of the central council and Daniel J. Murphy.

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The committee in charge of the af-fair consisted of the following: Jas. O'Sullivan, chairman; John Barrett, secretary, Dr. Patrick J. Bagley, M. P. Connolly, William Murphy, M. J. Man-ahan, John O'Sullivan, Thomas Dur-key, John Soroghan, John Kenney, John McInerney, William Nelson, John Talty, John H. Hickey, Michael Han-dlay, Joseph Handley, John Soythan Talty, John H. Hickey, Michael Handley, Joseph Handley, John Sexton, John Considine, Michael Harrington, Dennis Crowley, Francis J. Kierce, P. J. Mahoney, Maj. Daley, Michael J. Sharkey, Patrick Mahoney and D. J. Murphy.

#### Mathew Temperance Institute

John J. Townsend marched to St. Pe- was "some" crowd.

The committee in charge need not

tral street and headed by President John J. Townsend marched to St. Peter's church in a hody where they were assigned seats in the centre alsie and received communion at the 7.30 o'clock mass Rev. Daniel J. Kelcher, Ph. D., pastor of St. Peter's church and chapilain of the Mathew Temperance Institute was the celebrant of the mass and Rev. Francis L. Shea assisted in giving communion. Dr. Kelcher delivered the sermon and congratulated the members of the organization on their splendid showing.

At the conclusion of the mass the Mathews returned to their rooms where an excellent breakfast was served by Caterer Leydon. An informal program of addresses and music was carried out and among the speakers were President John J. Townsend, Former Presidents John J. Townsend, Former Presidents John J. Townsend, Former Presidents John J. Daophuc and John Sharkey. Probation Officer Edward F. Slattery and Patrick F. Kane. Songs were offered by Eugeoc Parquette. J. Warren Kane, John Spillane, John J. Townsend, Frank Compand and James Corrigan and plane solos were given by James Gorman and J. Joseph Pinnegan.

Following the breakfast a regular meeting of the institute was held and a roport from the Easter Monday character party committee was hears. Af-



FRANCIS A. CLARK Musical Director

rather subtly commending the "Mats," the best way to describe the setting

last evening is to say that Associate hall was "uncomfortably filled."
For those who arrived at the hall an hour or so before the time scheduled for the beginning of the festivities The Mathew Temperance Institute
observed St. Patrick's day in a most
fitting manner. At 7.15 in the morning
members of the organization. 150
strong, gathered at the rooms in Central street and hoaded by President
tral street and hoaded by President
was some opportunity of getting
a scat. Those who came after that
time, however, had to wedge their
way in through solid banks of "S.R.O."
devotees and their evening was usually on
a balcony railing, one of the stairtandings or even on a window-sill. It
was "some" crowd. there was some opportunity of getting

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Charles L. Marren, addresses. The
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the partional service and stationed ele terminated on either and with a pretty colleen in the costume dear to pretty colleen in the costume dear to the land being honored. At either end, also, was a pillar or column of white surmounted by a softly glowing green bulb and then still more to the front were the proscenie Old Glorys. "Twas a scene to delight in and Decorator Young is to be commended for his ability.

#### The Program Proper

The program opened with an everture of Irish melodies by an eight-piece orchestra and then followed the chorus of 60 voices in the opening ensemble. From then on the evening was a serieof triumphs both for the individual solo ists and for the chorus. Director Fran eis A. Clark had the singers at his beck and nod throughout the program and the mass of voices was directed into voluminous outbursts or shaded to the softest of tunes at the will of the director. Patrick Kane proved a capable interlocutor, and Joseph Fredette at the piano accompanied the solotsts with constant understanding and sympathy. It was a compacting and sympathy. It was a compact harmonious nusical transformation and success was inevitable. There were several features. William C. McNanara, Jr., provided the first when he sang "The Harp That Once Through Tara's Hails" in Gaelic and there was a surrounding program of musical musical musical solicity and the remarks that rounded out a first musical numbers that rounded out a first musical numbers that rounded out a musical musical solicity of musical numbers. The program follows:

Hall! Glorious Apostle. "Hall! Glorious Apostle, selected by God to enlarge the bless'd pale of Christ's faithful believers. Accept our weak efforts to honor thy virtues. And chiefly thy wonderful Charity. Seprano solo. "When Irish Eyes Are Smiling,"

Miss May Burke Molloy: address, Hon, James B. Casey: song, Martin Feeney; song, John James B. Casey: song, William Chandler; song, James (William Charlet) with the provided out a musical mumbers that rounded out a frame complete was a soflows:

Hall! Glorious Apostle. "Hall Glorious Apostle, selected by God Over by President Timothy O'Sullivan, it is dependent to hose violous development of the evening. The engine of the organization in observance of St. Patrick Kane proved a capable interaction and succession and chedited by God Over by President Timothy O'Sullivan, it is delivered by God Over by President Timothy O'Sullivan, it is delivered by God Over by President Timothy O'Sullivan, it is delivered by God Over by President Timothy O'Sullivan, it is delivered by God Over by President Timothy O'Sullivan, it is delivered by God Over by President Timothy O'Sullivan, it is delivered by God Over by President Timothy O'Sullivan, it is eis A. Clark had the singers at his beck

Through Tara's Hails" in Gaelic and then rendered the chorus in English. Miss Harrlet Moran, a professional, gave "The Last Rose of Summer" with deep feeling and easily won the audience. Miss Alice Dion, one of the "colleens," made a distinct hit in "A Little Bit of Green." Her sister, Miss Bertha, sang "There's a Rose That is Blooming in Ireland," and rivalled Miss Alice in the "hand" she received. But to prove that there was no favoritism, the Missos the "hand" she received. But to prove that there was no favoritism, the Misses Dion each received a bouquet and called it a "50-50" affair. Miss Nancy Swift, the, inimitable, nonchalant, "perpery" Miss Swift, was once more "there" in her rollicky "Somewhere in Ireland." She responded to more than half a dozen encores. Mrs. May Dillon Doberty was encores. Mrs. May Dillon Doberty was also well received in "I'll Be Back in My Low Back Car." From beginning

My Low Back Car." From beginning to end it was a most enjoyable program. In detail it was as follows:

Overture of Irish meiodies, ordiestra of eight pleces; medley of Irish songs, chorus of 60 voices; solo, "A Little Bit of Heaven." James Kenney; solo, "Killarney," Miss Theresa McCarron; solo, "Male quartet: Fir Mahon; second le larney," Miss Theresa McCarron; solo, "A Little Bit of Green," Miss Alice Dior and chorus; solo, "When I Dream of Old Erin," J. Warrep Kane; solo, "Einen," Edward Donahue and chorus; solo, "Im Going Back to Old Ireland to the Girl Greyd by the pup garacchial school y

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of Mooney; reading, Miss Margaret Mahoney; resolo, "When Irish Eyes Are Smilling," John Roane, Jr., and chorus; solo, "The Last Rose of Summer," Miss Harriet Moran; solo, "Mother Machree," John Devlin; song, "Til Be Back in Mylow Low Back Car," Mrs. May (Dillon) Dotherty and chorus; song, "There's a Rose That is Blooming in Ireland," Miss Bertha Dion; song, "The Harp That Once In Ireland," Miss Nancy Swift and chorus; song, "The Marting Tran's Hall (in Gaelle), William C. McNamarca, Jr.; song, "Some where in Ireland," Miss Nancy Swift and chorus; song, "Belleve Me if All Those Endearing Young Charms," Martin Magnire; song, "Belleve Me if All Those Endearing Young Charms," Martin Magnire; song, "Ireland, I Love You," Milss Florence McManus; finale "You Dou't Have to Come From Ireland to Be Irish," chorus; "The Star Spangled Banner."

At the Sacred Heart Churck

A lecture and sacred concert last events. of Mooney; reading, Miss Margaret Maho-ies ney; solo, "When Irish Eyes Are Smil-

A lecture and sacred concert last eve-ing under the auspices of the Iloiv lame society was the feature of the St Name society was the teature of the st Patrick's day celebration in the Sacred Heart parish. Rev. William F. Mahan, O.M.L. dolivered a lecture on Ireland, and there was a surrounding program of musical numbers that rounded out a mose enjoyable entertainment. The pro-gram complete was as follows:

Virtues
And chieff thy wonderful Charity,
Seprano solo, "When Irish Eyes Are
Smiling,"
Miss May Burke
Tenor solo, "Believe Me."
Martin Maguire
Quartet, "Killafaey."
Church Quartet
Soprano solo, "Kerry Dance."
Miss Kathleen Jenuings
Tenor solo, "I Lave the Name of Mary,
John Doyle
Fiano solo. "Come Back to Brin,"

Piano solo, "Come Back to Erin,"
Miss Madeline Roche
Lecture, "Ireland,"
Rev. William F. Mahan, O.M.I.
Bartione solo, "The Wearing of
Green,"

Bartone solo, "The Wearing of the Green,"
George Kirwin
Tenor solo, "The Harp,"
John McMahon
Soprano solo, "A Little Bit of Heaven,"
Miss Katherine Sharkey
Quartet, "The Meeting of the Waters,"
Male Quartet
Flaale, "The Star Spangied Banner,"
Soloists and Audience
Accompanists: George Burrows and
John J. Kelty.
Church quartet: Soprano, Miss Katherine Sharkey; allo, Miss Dessie Pinnegan; ronor, Mir. John McMahon; bass
Mr. George Kirwin.
Male quartet: First lenor, John McMahon; second lenor, James Custek;
first bass, George Kirwin; second bass,
Timothy Finnegan.

St. Peter's School

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St. Patrick's day was fittingly observed by the pupils of St. Peter's parochial school yesterday afternoon with a delightful concert of Irish music. The stage was tastefully decorated with emblems of Erin and throughout the hall artistle designs were displayed. The attendance taxed the capacity of the hall and the efforts of the youthful entertainers were onthusiastically applauded. The greatest of credit is due to the sisters of est of credit is due to the sisters of the school for their successful training of the young people. The program was as follows:

Was as follows:

Recitation, "Call of the Gac!"

Duct, "Come Back to Erin"

Miss Jarothy Eastham and Elias Mealy
Recitation, "Ireland, Dear Ireland"

Song, "Tara, You Shall Hear"

Grade I. Boys

Solo, "When Irish Eyes Are Smiling"

Miss Dorothy Eastham

"Little Collega"

Miss Holen Delaney Irish medley, Chorus Finale, "Star Spangled Banner."

Broadway Social Club

A delightful entertainment program was given at the Broadway Social and Athletic club last evening. The affair

Darling; songs, Fred Lambert; selections, the Celiric trin Massrs Daly, hagpipes, Patrick Callahan, vio-lin and James O'Gara, dute; recitation, John Shugrue; song, James Shugrue, and finate, "The Star Spangled Ban-

The members of the Bellevue Social club observed St. Patrick's day with an entertainment at their quarters in Aimdie street last evening, the program being as follows:

Piano selections, Lee Longtin, Herbert Boni and Fred McCall, and songs, John Ward, Arthur Mello, Henry Winn.

John Ware, Arthur Mello, Henry Winn, Patrick MeGowan, Joseph Carmody, Mattic Thomas, William Wallis, Frank Allen, Arthur Rodgers, George Rourke, Miss Elizabeth Sheridan, Miss Stella Keyes and Tessic Kelly.,

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# MUST PLACE FULL YEAR'S COAL ORDER

BOSTON, March 18.—Local fuel committees in Massachusetts are being notified by Fuel Administrator James J. Storrow of a reduction of 30 cents a ton in the mine, price, of anthracite coal from April 1 until Sort, 1, and of a systématic plan under which dealers will be required to operate for the 12 months beginning April 1.

Whatever changes in relait coal prices may be offered by the fuel administrator will not become effective until April 15.

Consumers are expected under this plan to estimate their normal require-

plan to estimate their normal requirements for the coal year beginning April 1, and to place this order with their regular dealers as early as practicable. The order must be written on a special blank which the coal dealer will sundy.

with supply.

The New England Coal Dealers' asSociation has arranged to have tifese
official order blanks printed for distribution to all coal dealers who desire

The consumer must state the amount of coal, if any, on hand: the amount of coal received by him in the 12 months ending March 31, 1918, and 12 months ending March 31, 1918, and the amount of coal needed to meet his requirements to March 31, 1919. It must also state what other coal, it may the consumer has ordered and the name of the person from whom it has been ordered.

The making of the order in triplicate will enable the dealer to supply a copy to the consumer and also to the local fuel committee.

Compilance with these regulations is

a copy to the consumer and also to the local fuel committee.
Compilance with these regulations is not optional on the part of either the coal dealer or the consumer. It is compulsory, and anyone who violates them is subject to penalties prescribed by the Lever act, namely, a \$500 fine or two years' imprisonment, or both.
The announcement that the change in retail price will not become effective until some time after April 15 is expected to stimulate the buying of coal by New England dealers during the remainder of this month. The announcement of the fuel administrator gives assurance to the dealer that he will have opportunity to sell, at a fair profit, coal bought at the present price schedule, which assurance, it is expected, will tend to result in heavy shipments of anthracite during the next two weeks.

The local fuel committee is urged again to investigate conditions, for the purpose of determining whether a reduction of more than 30 per cent. a ten, the amount of the reduction at the mines, shall be made in the retail prices of any localily.

Local fuel committees are requested

the mines, shall be made in the retail prices of any locality.

Local fuel committees are requested to make their price recommendations for summer delivery so that they may be in Mr. Storrow's hands on or before April 10. They will have to be approved by him before they become effective.

Consumers who, find local dealers.

Consumers who find local dealers unable or unwilling to accept their or-ders should communicate at once with the local fuel committee in their city or town, who will try to make ar-rangements for the acceptance of these orders.

#### PUPILS OF ST. LOUIS' PAROCHIAL SCHOOL OBSERVE PASTOR'S BIRTHDAY

The pupils of St. Louis' parochial school observed the birthday anniversary of the pastor, Rev. J. B. Labossiere with an entertainment and presentation in the school hall last evening. The attendance was large and the program was very enjoyable. and the program was very enjoyable. The presentation to the pastor, which was in the form of a huge bouquet in which had been tucked away \$450 in gold was made by Miss B. Lajeunesse. The pastor responded in fitting terms, telling how much he appreciated the gift and he surprised his audience by stating that he would apply the money to the church fund.

The evening's program, which was given entirely by the pupils under the direction of the Sisters of the Assumption, who are in charge of the school,

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tion, who are in charge of the Assumption, who are in charge of the school, was as follows:

Piano duet: After the Victory. Calkin Misses C. and M. G. Bouthillette Song, Le Bouquet d'Amour... Moreau Soloists, Misses A. Hertrand, H. La? Haye, A. Lahaye, H. Boudreau and E. Denault

Address to the pastor,
Miss B. Lajeunesse

Dialog, The Doll's Christening:Gouget A group of small children

Plano selection, Cavalry... Wilhelm Misses D. Tathault and C. Bouthillette
Operetta, l'Atelier du Mailre Eloi.

E. Bellefeuille, H. Figeon, A. Daigle,
L. Asselin, G. Bouthillette, A. Cournoyer, O. Gagnon, O. Barrette, A. Pednault, E. Gosselin, H. Chaput, R. Trudel, A. Breault, A. Branchaud, G. Choquette, G. Menard, H. Adams, A. Frechette, A. Allard, A. Dion.

The Little Soldier and the Red Cross

Misses Y. Beautien, J. Laplante and A. Bertrand Closing remarks by pastor. The accompanists for the operettas were Misses Thibauit, Bouthillette and Bertrand.

CHARLES C. ALLEN OF BROOKLINE

#### DROPS DEAD PRESIDING AT BANQUET

BANQUET

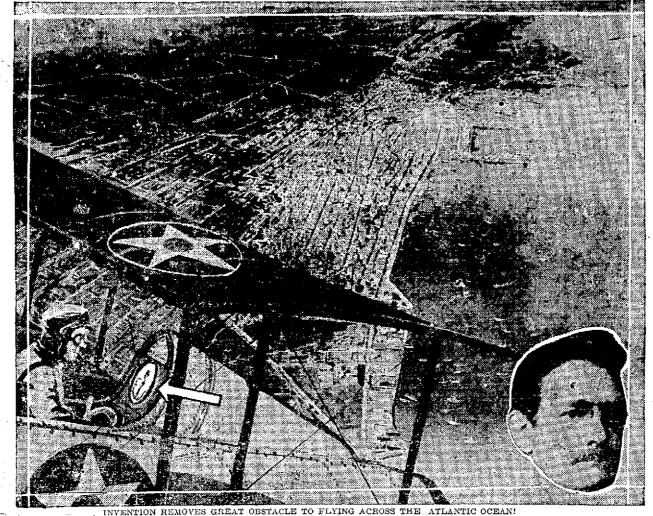
LAWRENCE, March 18.—Charles C. Allen, 55 years old, of 1673 Beacon st., Brookline, and general manager of the castern division office of the Lehigh & Wilkesbarre Coal company in Boston, dropped dead at 5.30 last night while acting as toastmaster at a banquet in Libbey hall.

Dr. John J. McArdle, one of the gueste, went to his ald, but Mr. Allen was dead. Heart disease was given as the cause.

Mr. Allen came to Lawrence Saturday night as the guest of Louis W. Huber, manager of the Lawrence office of the company. With Mr. Huber, he attended the banquet given in honor of William S. Ivers, a prominent Lawrence citizen. a. Ivora, a prominent Lawrence citizen. During the after-dinner exercises, Mr. Allen arose to introduce a singer, when he was observed to slak back into his chair and then fell to the floor. When it was seen that Mr. Allen was beyond medical aid, Associate Medical Examiner Victor A. Reed was called and the declared that Associate Mr. and Associate Medical the floor of the floor o

Esseminer victor A. Reed was called and the declared that death was caused by heart trouble. He gave permission for removal of the body, which was taken to Boston last night.

The program was abandoned.



This photo-diagram illustrates the start of a trans-Atlantic flight. The airplane which the artist has drawn in over a seaport city, is fitted with the new mechanical navigator invented by Professor Poor, which, airplane experts say, removes the last great obstacle to flying across the ocean. It is a dial affair (indicated by the arrow) which enables the filer to ascertain his position in a few moments and pro-

tects him from "getting lost," or losing his bearings, while making the trip. Photo of Professor Poor is

Special to The Sun is professor of celestial mechanics at NEW YORK, March — Prof. Chas. Columbia university. The study of cellular poor has just completed an uncannily ingenious device which it is believed has removed the last great obstacle to flying our floot of victory airplanes across the Atlantic—the dans is airplane with the skipper of a New York-Particle methanics at many without any training in navigation of the side rule. It allows a man without any training in navigation of the side rule. It allows a man without any training in navigation to make the professor of celestial mechanics at mechanics at intricate mechanics at intr obstance to thing our noct of victory airplanes across the Atlantic—the danger of getting lost on the 3000-mile stretch of trackless ocean.

It is a mechanical navigating device that enables an aviator, flying at 100 miles an hour, to find his position in a few moments.

All the skipper of a New York-Par-is airplane will have to do now is to climb into his machine, head it for France, and trust to the Poor "aerial adding machine" to keep him on his right course.

ger of getting lost on the 3005-mile stretch of trackless ocean.

It is a mechanical navigating device that enables an aviator, thing for course.

The instrument looks like a big strike in the conquest of the air.

Prof. Poor is a mathematician and of movable hands.

Climb into his machine, head it for gractical for Americans to the across the nation and trust to the Poor "aerial adding machine" to keep him on his bearings, with this instrument a pitot who knows next to nothing about figures can make his nautical computatives can make "Where it would take a practiced

chine."

Prof. Poor has given his invention to the government for war purposes.

Henry A. Wise Wood of the Aero Club of America announced that with the invention of Prof. Poor, it would be possible for Americans to fly across the Atlantic this summer if work on planes of the proper type were start-

miles. From St. Johns to the Azores is more than would probably be neces-1300 miles from the Azores to Oporto,

1300 miles from the Azores to Oporto. Portugal, is \$50 miles.

Waiting for a strong following wind, one should average 100 miles an hour across. The crossing from St. Johns to Gueenstown could be accomplished under 20 hours; from St. Johns to the Azores under 14 hours, and from the Azores to Oporto under 9 hours. An acroplane can remain up as long as the engines run. The engines, barring breakdowns, will run as long as fuel is supplied. The question, then, is one of lifting ability. An acroplane which would lift 35 hours' fuel and four men, can easily be constructed. That would straight a straight of the straight o can easily be constructed. That would be an aeroplane with 15 hours' fuel

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INDUSTRIAL AND MINING AGE 27 William St., New York Largest Circulation in its Field in the World





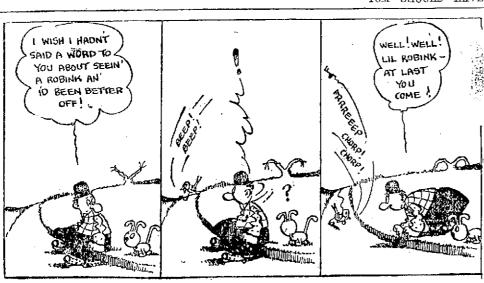
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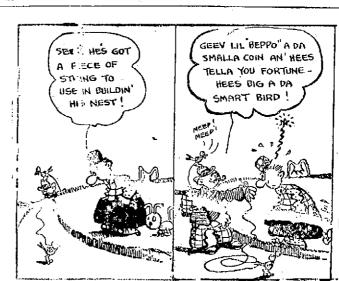
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OR STOLENII LOST, STRAYED











Lowell cleaned up its 1918 track season Saturday night at the Paige street annex by defeating Newburyport high by a 41-32 tune. Incidentally the locals made their record for the season a 50-50 affair, winning three and also losing

Newburyport presented a very meagre lineup. There were not more than a dozen artists with the visitors, and Wilson, the captain, was practically the whole team. It might be rightfully said that the final score was Lowell 41, Wilson 22, for the Newburyport boy got every point that the visitors were able to chalk up. He had some help in the relay, of course, but it was due mainly to his efforts that the local quartet was

defeated.
Wilson and Mansur were the two anchor men in the relay and Mansur had a slight disadvantage at the start. For a slight disadvantage at the start. For two laps it was more or less a neek and neck affair, with thrills being spilled out at every bank. Wilson proved able to nose out the Lowell Idol, but it was only by a mitter of inches. It is useless to give allibis, of course, but the Lowell captain had abundant reason for his letup in the final meet.

Owing to the non-appearance of several of the down-river men, the broad jump and shot put were silminated. Wilson took first place in the 30-yard dash, with Mansur a close second. The

Wilson took first place in the 30-yard dash, with Mansur a close second. The tables were turned in the high jump with Mansur in the lead and Wilson nuner-up. In the 300 Wilson bested the Lowell captain after Mansur had fallen on one of the banks. And then again in the relay it was a case of Mansur vs. Wilson, with the result stated above.

Score, Lowell 13, Newburyport 5, Running high jump: Won by Mansur, Lowell: Wilson, Newburyport, second: Saunders and Baron of Lowell tied for third place. Height, 5 feet 7.1-4 inches.

Score, Lowell 10, Newburyport 8, Three hundred yard run: Won by Wilson, Newburyport: Mansur, Lowell, second: Newburyport: Mansur, Lowell, second: Newburyport; Mansur, Mansur,

all, second; Keith, Lowell, third. Time

Score, Lowell 23, Newburyport 13, Six hundred yard run; Won by Quill, Lowell, Barber, Lowell, second; Lavallee, Lowell, third, Time 1 minute, 35 seconds.

Referee Mayor Perry D. Thompson.

NOTIGE TO CONTRACTORS

The Middlesex County Commissioners, East Cambridge, Mass, have decided to receive bilds for a general
contract to include all work for the
proposed Middlesex County tuberculosis hospital, and no bilds under separate contracts will be received on
March 29, 1918, as prescribed in the
advertisement for proposals recently
lessued.

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advertisement for proposition is sued.

The Commissioners will receive bids for a General Contract on April 16, 1918, at 10 a. m., and the advertisement for such bids appears below.

#### TO CONTRACTORS

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Scaled proposals will be received by the Middlesex County Commissioners at their office in the Court House, East. Cambridge, Mass., until 10 o'clock a. m. Tuesday, April 16, 1918, for the erection at Waltham, Mass., of a group of huildings and ineffectual work for the purpose of a tuberculosis hospital, All the work will be let under one General Contract.

Each proposal must be signed by the

All the work will be let under one General Contract.

Each proposal must be signed by the bidder, with his address, and must be accompanied by a certified check of Eight Hundred (4800.00) Dollars, made payable to Middlesex County, which check will be returned to the bidder unless he falls to execute a contract with the County Commissioners within the County Commissioners within the County Commissioners within the contract with the County Commissioners and publicly.

The proposals will be opened and read publicly.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

The party or parties to whom the work may be awarded will be required to furnish a bond of a surety company satisfactory to the Commissioners for an amount not to exceed one out of the contract, and the mount of the bid, for the faithful performance of the contract, and the mount of the contract of the

ers for an amount not to exceed our-marter the amount of the bid, for the faithful performance of the contract, and to maintain it in force until the work is finally accepted.

The general plans and specifications and forms of contract may be seen at the office of Olin W. Cutter, Archi-tect, 683 Atlantic Avenue, Boston, Mass.

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The sarthwork, grading, and road work plans and specifications may be seen at the office of Francis H. Ken-dall, County Engineer, Court House, East Cambridge, Mass.

The heating plans and specifications may be seen at the office of Walter B. Hoss, Engineer, 263 Summer Street, Boston, Mass.

Duplicates of the plans and specifi-cations may be obtained of the Archi-tect on payment of cost of same. Duplicates of the Architect on payment of cost of same.

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ERSON B. BARLOW,
WALTER C. WARDWELL,
Middlesex County Commissioners

Lowell cleaned up its 1918 track sea-

#### TRACK NOTES

Captain Wilson explained the nonappearance of half a dozen members of
his squad by saying that they were
trking a provisional course at Tech and
had devoted but little time to track
practice during the season. He himself
is also studying at Tech but managed
to get away for the Lowell meet. He
spent a very profitable evening here.

The final event of the season will come at Page's tonight when the team will hold a banquet and later will occupy a box at Keith's as the guests of Manager Pickett. Mayor Thompson is scheduled to speak at the banquet.

If the season had extended a few weeks longer Lowell's final record would have been much more imposing without a doubt. It was a case of a "inte-season" team. But the optimists are lonking forward to next year when practically the same squad will be back at school.

Captain Mansur added to his laurely Saturday when he copped first place in the high jump at the annual Massachusetts schoolboy meet at the East armory Boston. His height was 5 feet, 7½ inches. He came in third in the 60-yard dash.

The special races which were arvery amusing and lessened the tension of the more serious contests.

The track managers smiled happily as they beheld the large crowd that attended the meet. The team certainly has received support this year.

# above. Hedlund came through in the 1000 and incidentally copped his L. Quill was first in the 600 and Markham crossed the tape ahead of time in the 800. LOWELL IN FAST GAME

The Summary

Thirty yard dash: First heat, won by Keith, Lowell: Moore, Lowell, second; time 4 seconds. Second beat, won by Mansur. Lowell; Bachelder. Lowell, second; time 3 4-5 seconds. Third heat, won by Lavallee, Lowell, Flynu, Lowell, second; time 4 seconds. Third heat, won by Wilson, Newburyport; Markham, second; time 4 seconds. Fourth heat, won by Wilson, Newburyport; Markham, second; time 4 seconds. Semi-finals: First heat, won by Mansur, Lowell; Keith, Lowell, seconds time 4 seconds. Second heat won by Mison, Newburyport; Markham, Lowell, second; time 3 4-5 seconds. Final heat, won by Wilson, Newburyport; Markham, Lowell, second; Markham, Lowell, third; time 3 3-5 seconds. Second to thousand yard bun. Won by Hedlund, Lowell, third; time 2 minutes 43 4-5 seconds.

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| The lineup and summary: |             |
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| PROVIDENCE _            | POMETF      |
| Jason 1r ,              | 1r Williams |
| Thompson 2r             | ≏r Barkin∘  |
| Muirhead, Brown c       | c Griffith  |
| Doherty hb              | hb Cusick   |
| Panco g                 | g Purcell   |

Caged by, Won by
Jason, Providence
Thompson, Providence
Williams, Lowell
Jason, Providence

Lavallee. Lowell, third. Time 1 minuto.

Score. Lowell 32, Newburyport 13.
Eight hundred yard run: Won by Markham. Lowell; Mullane. Lowell, seconds.
Score. Lowell 41, Newburyport 13.
Twelve hundred yard relay: Won by Newburyport. (Clarkson, Gray, Merriam and Wilson)
Final score: Lowell 41 Newburyport 22.

The Officers of the meet were: Referce Mayor Perry D. Thompson.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
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# POLO SCHEDULE REMAINDER OF SEASON

dence at Portland.
March 30-Lawrence at Worcester March 22-Lawrence at Providence, Portland at Lowell.

March 23—Lewiston at Lawrence, Portland at Providence, Lowell at Worcester

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Providence at Portland. March 27—Providence at Woreester.
March 28—Lawrence at Lewiston.
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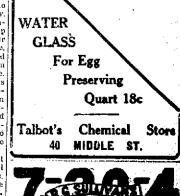
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THE LOWELL SUN MONDAY MARCH 18 1918



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#### HELPING THE GOVERNMENT

The Metropolitan Life Insurance vote one day a week to the business fore the Hun has ravaged other help-Each of the agents is authorized to deand is required to sell \$5,000 worth of less peoples. stamps for sale. The company has guaranteed to dispose of \$65,000,000 in that shows the company's great power. Such patriotism is worthy of emula-

#### TWO SHIPS A DAY

Now that we are turning out a ship a day with the prospect of doubling the output in May, there is hope that the time will soon arrive when the sinkings of the submarines will be more than offset by, the number of new ships launched. The nation will probably produce 4,000,000 tons of shipping this year and more next year, so that the facilities for transportation will be increased over what they are at present. It is also announced that our aeroplanes will be flying over the In due time western front in July. they will be flying over Berlin.

#### ALLIES DISSENT

Germany, it appears, would grant all the allies want on the western front, if they would allow her to chop up Russia as she pleases, but they will never consent to that. Rather will they encourage Japan to help Russia throw off the German yoke or resist her further aggression. The allies will have no part in the dismemberment of Russia. Freedom for all nations and slavery for none is their motto.

The allies will bear none of the re sponsibility for the peace terms imposed upon Russia by Germany. When the Russian people realize what has happened, they will overthrow the compact brought about through the Bolshevik foolishness, if not the traitorous action of Trotzky and Lenine.

#### COUNTER CHARTER PETITION

It is understood that certain parties in the employ of the city have started to secure signatures to a charter peti tion in favor of Plan C, which is but slightly different from the present charter. The chief difference is, that the salary of the mayor may be \$5,000 and that of the other commissioners \$4,000 each.

This is a move to block any change in the present charter inusmuch as the first petition lodged with the board of registers and approved bars any other petition for change of charter from consideration for the present year.

As this is a move to retain the present charter by certain parties, knowing that Plan C would not be adopted, it should not be countenanced by anybody interested in the well being of

#### PROBE THE INQUISITORS That military committee of the Unit-

ed States senate seems to be determined to let the war department hold nothing secret. They want all our business left bare to the world. They are neglecting the legislative business necessary for the progress of the war and spending their time berating the food administrator, Secretary Baker or some other official who bears a heavy responsibility. The committee should be investigated in order to determine just why certain of its members are fighting the battles of Germany in the highest legislative body of the United

These senators are the deadly one mies of Mr. Hoover for no reason that the public can surmise except that he prevents profiteers from fleecing the American people. The senators were always more closely identified with big financial corporations and trusts than were the representatives. The protection of the people by Mr. Hoover against the food sharks is evidently vexing Senator Reed and some other members of the military committee.

#### THE FALL OF ODESSA

The Teuton has taken Odessa, along the road from Berlin to India, and the Muscovite grain funnel.

That much has been expected ever since Russia quit winning. No authority in Washington, London, or Paris expected for a moment the Hun would forego this opportunity of overrunning the vanquished people of a non-resisting state.

But while the Hun is in possession of Odessa and the Turk is master of the Black Sea, they will not always re main there. The central powers may make a stab at India. They may na trol the streets of Petrograd and enslave all Russia if they get the chance Whether they stay there or not depends upon those brave men holding the line from Switzerland to the English channel. There the fate of the Black Sea, Odessa, Russia,-and all the world-will be settled. It is there the Hun must battle for his Russian spoils.

No one better than the German war lords know the full truth of that. America must know it, just as France and Britain long have known it. "The war will be decided on the

west front." That statement is almost as old as the war.

Knowing, then, that it must be deelded on the west front, let us pay less attention to German boasts of

"victorles" in stricken Russia, and

more to our determination to achieve

a real victory in France. That means exerting every ounce of our strength company is certainly doing great work every thought of our brains, every posin the sale of War Thrift Stamps, sible sacrifice to bring this victory about in the shortest possible time, be-

stamps. That is quite a difficult task where so many agencies are offering the west front, then the world will When that victory has been won or take up with the Hun and the Turk the matter of Odessa even as it will stamps, a great undertaking and one call him to account in the matter of Finland and the Baltic provinces.

#### DRAFTING UNFIT MEN

We read with interest of the case of the East Pittsburg milkman who despite his wooden foot was sent to camp with the drafted men. He has been sent back to serve his milk customers, in which capacity he is probably worth very much more than he would ever be with a crippled foot in Flanders mud. Such cases serve to point the folly vice who are obviously unable to per-

soldier's life, to become burdens upon the army in the field, rather than effec tive units of the fighting forces. Quite a large number of men sent

to Camp Devens by the exemption confined to no particular locality. boards were rejected by the army sur geons and sent home as unfit for service. The surgeons are not being fooled to any great extent although they are not mind readers. Still in spite of the greatest vigit lance, men who have been discharged

not cured, but because there was no room for them at sanutoriums for the have been accepted by local exemption boards for service. Some of these men will perhaps be passed by the state boards, and not a few of them will get by the more rigid physical examination camp. There is grave danger that their arrested disease may reappear in more virulent form when they have been transported, at a cost estimated at \$1500 per man, across sea, and they will either become a burden to th medical department or else be a source of danger to their comrades.

Greater care in the acceptance of such men is imperatively necessary. Regardless of the soldier's willingness to serve, or of the eagerness which is displayed by some to get to the front, of passing men as fit for military ser- no man should be accepted when there is anything approaching a serious form the same, and those whose medi- probability that he may become a mencal history proves that they are liable, ace to the health of the army or a

# Something New in Town From "The Land of the Long Leaf Pine"

A Remarkable Treatment From North Carolina That Relieves Croup and Cold Troubles Without the Necessity of Internal "Dosing"-Applied Externally, It is inhaled as a Vapor and also Absorbed Through the Skin.

Jars on 30 Days' Trial—No and soothing the inflamed membrane.

Charge if Not Delighted with In cases of severe chest colds, the Results.

Every year thousands of people suffering from various forms of lung trouble, make a pligrimage to the pine barrens of North Carolina, "the land of the long leaf pine." The reason lies in the warm, dry air, perfumed with the spicy odor of the pines.

Local druggists, however, have re-cently received a treatment that is almost as good as a trip South. This is Vick's VapoRub, the invention of a North Carolina druggist. VapoRub comes in salve form and

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VapoRub comes in salve form and when applied over the throat and chest, the body heat releases medicated vapors that are inhaled with this trial offer good at all drugs. This trial offer good at all drug stores except L. K. Liggett Co.

Local Druggists Are Selling 25c each breath, through the air passages, to the lungs, loosening the phlegm

In cases of severe chest cold bronchitis, tonsilitis or incipient pneu monia, first apply hot, wet towels to open the pores. VapoRub is then ab-sorbed through and stimulates the skin, taking out that tightness and oreness in the chest. One rubbing with VapoRub usually

relieves croup within 15 minutes and an application at bedtime prevents a night attack. For head colds, hay fever, catarrh or asthmatic troubles, VapoRub can either be applied up the nostrils or a little melted in a spoon and the vapors inhaled.

us a result of the hardships of the charge upon the facilities for treat-

Husty medical examination and improper regard for the history of the drafted man is probably responsible for the cases mentioned which have been

#### SEEN AND HEARD

No sort of a good road is safe for a fool driver.

Scientists are getting nitrates out of the air, but telegraph companies have been getting night rates out of the peo-ple for years.

She Hated to Tell It It is stated that a well known West Sider likes plenty of air in his sleeping noom—and his wife dossn't. One night he climbed onto the couch in the dark.

he climbed onto the couch in the dark. It was stuffy.
"No, the window is closed," said wife.
"It's stuck. Won't go up."
Crash! The cltizen had thrown a shoe.
"That'il let in the air," he remarked, and went straight to the Land of Noct.
And in the morning wife sweetly informed him that the window was un-touched, but the glass door of the bookcase was a ruin,—Brockton Enterprise.

#### Why They Liked the Judge

Why They liked the Judge
Those who have been privileged to hear Judge C. C. King in a jocular mood can appreciate the following story told by him at the recent reception and banquet tendered Rev. Dudley Hays Ferrell by his fellow citizons. To fully appreciate the value of the story it would have to be heard from the lips of the genial judge.

genial judge.
"I nearly had a compliment paid me a
few weeks ago," began Judge King.
"Two little girls expressed a preference
for my society while taking in the
Brockton fair one afternoon. The little
ones are acquaintances of mine and it
seemed strange that they should choose
me for a chaperone when they could
have gone with their mothers or other
children.

children.

"Why is it," I casually inquired, 'that you prefer my society to your mothers' or playmates'?

"'Oh, we like to be where you are, you are so childish,' was the response."

—Brockton Enterprise.

#### , a Taking Camp Degree

When he blew into the recruiting office and volunteered, it was because he was an enthusiastic young American. He was accepted for service and sent quite a distance for intensive training. quite a distance for intensive training. He made good, but one day slipped a cog on some little matter of duty and was assigned to "kitchen police," which is often a penalty job in a military camp, or sort of scrubwoman game. He didn't like the job over much.

When he wrote home he told about his assignment to the kitchen police. But he didn't use the words, he used the initials "K. P."

His sweetheart wrote back expressing

#### TO REMOVE DANDRUFF

Get a small bottle of Danderine at any drug store for a few cents, pour a little into your hand and rub well into the scalp with the finger tips. By morn-ing most, if not all, of this awful scurf will have disappeared. Two or three applications will destroy every bit of dandruff; stop scalp itching and falling hair.

# PROSTRATION

May be Overcome by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound — This Letter Proves It.

West Philadelphia, Pa.—"During the thirty years I have been married, I have

and had several attacks of pervous prostration until it seemed as if the organs in my whole body were worn out. I was finally persuaded to try LydiaE. Pinkham's Vegetable Com-pound and it made a well woman of

me. I can now do all my housework and advise all ailing women to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I will guarantee they will derive great benefit from it."—Mrs. FRANK FITZGERALD, 25 N. 41st Street, West Philadelphia, Pa.

There are thousands of women everywhere in Mrs. Estracycle's condition

There are thousands of women everywhere in Mrs. Fitzgerald's condition,
suffering from nervousness, backache,
headaches, and other symptoms of a
functional derangement. It was a
grateful spirit for health restored which
led her to write this letter so that other
women may be refit from her experience women may benefit from her experience

and find health as she has done.

The letters constantly being published from women in every section of this country prove beyond question the merit of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vege-table Compound.

one of the best fraternal organizations in the world.
"Knights of Pythias, eh!" he mur-

"Knights of Pythias, ch!" he murmured when he received that letter from sweetie.

He gave the o.o. to his scrubbing brush, the bucket of scapsuds at his right, the wet floor which he was attempting to make "whiter than snow," and whistled softly.

"If she could only see me now, she'd certainly think I was going through a stunt for a high-up degree," he said.

#### War Scene in New York

Snorting as though overjoyed at ogain seeing "No Man's Land," the huge lank Britannia, conveying Mrs. Adolph Ladenburg and Miss Ray Slater, the latter a Boston girl, as guests, dipped its nose into the excavation for the pro-posed new court house at Centre and his assignment to the kitchen police. But he didn't use the words, he used the initials "K. P."

His sweetheart wrote back expressing her great pleasure and approving his move in getting into the Knights of Pythias, which, she said, she knew as later, with her passengers none the worse for the trip and highly pleased with a system of the company of with the experience.

The two women made the trip at the invitation of Brig. Gen. W. A. White of invitation of Brig. Gen. W. A. White of the British recruiting mission, as the opening event of a recruiting campaign, citywide in scope, before the draft of British subjects becomes effective. Several other women were invited to take the ride on the British war engine, which had threwn fear into the hearts of the Huns, but only Mrs. Ladenburg and Miss Slater appeared. The Britania was attracting the attention of Several other was a structing the attention of Several or the several of the structure of the structure of the several of the structure of the several of the structure ata was attracting the attention of sev eral hundred persons in Lafayette stree eral hundred persons in Lafayette street when the women elimbed on board and disappeared within her metallis sides. Coughing and spluttering as though she were off on a mission of destruction, she was steered by Captain Haigh, commander of the tank, toward the exercision. Thousands of persons gathered around the court house site to writch how the tank acted on ground ored around the court house site to watch how the tank acted on ground that represented in many respects the devastated villages of France through which she had crunched on many occasions to carry death to the invaders Crawling along like a giant caterpillar until she reached the edge of the excavation, she then poised her nose, dipped forward and slid down a 40-foot embankment. Continuing her course, she scaled a six-foot wall, lounging into another ditch. There was a succession another ditch. There was a successio another ditch. There was a succession of holes which might have been made by a howlizer. The Britannia never shied at one of them. If the wall were too high to climb, she just pushed it over with her nose and proceeded as though it never had existed. She emerged from the dugout with oven greater case than she entered.

#### The Migrant

The Migrant
I leave the land of palm and pine—
For men my sovereign pity;
Freeborn the air, the seas are mine—
Their realm the crowded city.
Through cloudland I may choose my

Through cloudland I may choose my way,
My beating wings a-quiver;
Or I may chance a tranquil day
Upon a lake or river.
For men must reap and men must sow—
Form ties they dare not sever;
With scorn I see them chained below,
While I may roam forever.
I leave the land of palm and pino,
Of other scenes grown fonder;
The north star is my guide, and mine
The starry paths I wander.
Oh! Hitle wings beat true and strong—
Too long, too long, I tarry,
Speed with the winds, bear me along—
A heart's desire you carry.
—St. Louis Post-Dispatch. —St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

BUSINESS ORGANIZATIONS IN-DORSE THE SERVICE AT COST

FOR STREET RAILWAY That the principles of service at

cost as a remedy for the street railway situation represent the logical way situation represent the logical and practical solution of the existing conditions is attested by the indorsement that the plan is receiving in all sections of the state. Within the past few days, the service at cost plan has been endorsed and recommended to the legislature by the Springfield board of trade, Fitchburg chamber of commerce, Lowell board of trade, webster-Dudley chamber of commerce, Worcester chamber of commerce, Pittsfield board of trade, Haverhill chamber of commerce, Brockton chamber of commerce, Wareboard of trade and other organizations. In each of these cities the plan was unanimously indorsed after a was unanimously indorsed was unanimously indorsed after a thorough investigation of the subject and it becomes more and more evident that whatever plan is ultimately adopted it must recognize the principles of service at cost.

#### WORST BLIZZARD IN TWENTY YEARS

ST. JOHNS, N. F., March 18.-The worst blizzard Newfoundland has experionced in 20 years for the last three days has completely blocked railroad and coastwise steamer traille. Only one death, that of a truckman in this city, who perished with his horse while trying to make his way home last night had been reported today as a result of the storm, although much

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suffering had been reported today as a result of the storm, although much

suffering was caused.
The crew of the fish-laden schooner This crew of the fish-laden schooler Prospero, which foundered near Cape Race after leaving this port for Europe, was brought back last night. A number of vessels moored for the winter were driven to sea. Fears for the sealing steamers which set out last week were allayed by a wireless message that all were safe. The blizzard because to subside today. began to subside today.

#### MORTALITY OF LOWELL

For the Week Ending March 16, 1918. For the Week Ending March 10, 320; Population, 107,978; total deaths, 37; deaths under five, 20; infectious dis-eases, 5; acute lung diseases, 16; dipn-theria, 2; cerebro spinal meningitis, 1; tuberculosis, 2. Death rate: 17.82 against 19.74 and 20.22 for previous two weeks. Infectious diseases reported: Smallpox, 1; diphtheria, 4 scarict fever, 2; measles, 3; cerebr spinal meningitis, 3; tuberculosis, 2. BOARD OF HEALTH.

### REPORT OF DEATHS

For the Week Ending March 16, 1918.

7-Thomas J. Collins, 57, lob. pneumonia. 8—Hazel MacDonald, 23, chr. neph-

ritis. Ellen M. White, \$3, ccr. haemor-Leo Carpentier, 7m., ac. bronchitis Marte I. Desrosiers, 5m., lob. pneu-monia. John W. Mullen, 59, Ludwig's an-

gioa.
Victor Vohi, 1, meningitis.

Maxime Duval, 10m., bronchopneumonia.
Catherine E. Flanders, 64, inter.
nephritis. Gabrielle Brouillette, 11m., bron-chitle. Catherine Barrett, 12, cer. spin.

meningitis, Joseph H. A. Therrien, 19d., ac. broughltis. Alice B. Bineault, 10m., ac. bronchitis. Rebecca Gilbride, 82, nrterio-

sclerosis.

scierosis.

Bessie G. Neville, 29, eclampsia.

Andrew Argopoulos, 8m., ileo
colltis.
Odliv Vaillancourt, 58, chr. valv.
heart disease.
Leonard Clough, 4, diphtheria.
John Franca. 8m., broncho-pneumonia.

Albert Patenaude, 4, laryn, diph-John J. Murray, 66, myocarditis.
Conceicao Jardin, 11m., catarrhal
pneumonia.

Elizabelh Sheeby, \$5, lob. pneumo-Daniel McAleer, 70, lob. pneumonia.

Nellie Rodgick, 12d., broncho pneumonia. 12—Jan Cebula, 4m., broncho pneu-monia.



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Michael M. Doyle, 63, chr inter ne-

phritis. — Richardson, 2d., imperfo∢

rated anus. Thomas H. McCabe, 59, strangu-

Thomas H. McCabe, 59, Strangu-lated hornia.

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Victor Sauvageau, 64, chr. endo-

carditls.
Andrew F. Roark, 44, disease of Francis Cox, 7d, prem. birth, Joseph J. Bastien, 2m., lob. pneus

Joseph Percira, 8m., broncho-Maria P. Rosa, I, lob. pneumonia.

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This lot unfortunately is very much smaller than we have offered for the past few years, for the unprecedented demand for this class of silk and wool merchandise has driven the manufacturers to ship almost everything as regular goods and any length as a piece. Therefore, our allotment of remnants has been curtailed, and the price this year, while somewhat higher, is relatively not so high in comparison with regular merchandise.

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coat linings, trimmings, neckwear, etc. Regular prices \$1.50, \$2 and \$2.50.

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ON SALE TOMORROW

Right Aisle

the rioting between a mob of Sinn Feiners and the police in the nationalist quarter of Belfast early

tionalist quarter of Belfast early Sunday, Hurley sticks, clubs and stones were the chief weapons but some revolver shots were heard. The trouble lasted from midnight until 4 o'clock in the moraling and many persons, including some policemen, were sent to hospitals.

The Sinn Feiners had announced they would hold a meeting in St. March's hall, a nationalist gathering place, but the authorities closed the hall. During Saturday, Sinn Feiners were brought in from different parts of the country to begin imprisonment in the Belfast jail. Many sympathizers came along.

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Prof. Edward de Valera, member of
parliament for East Clare and a Sinn
Felner, arrived in an automobile at
midnight, accompanied by a bodyguard armed with Hurley sticks and
others carrying blazing torches. The
hall being closed, de Valera moved
his meeting to a vacant lot 100 yards



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from the hall. He had talked 10 principal Rhine cities many houses and minutes when the police declared their apartments are vacant, numbers of intention of breaking up the crowd, persons moving to central Germany or

intention of breaking up the crowd, numbering about 2500.

Hurley sticks were brought into play at once. The police drew their batons and charged at double quick. A stiff fight ensued, sometimes leading up back alleys. It was not until the military were brought to the scene that order was again restored.

Switzerland. They say opinion is growing against continuation of German air raids.

A Berlin despatch says that in February entente aviators made 23 attacks on German towns. Treves was raided three times and Saarbrucken, Mann-

GERMANS IN PANIC

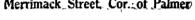
OVER AIR RAIDS

GENEVA, March 16.—Reports reaching here from Germany say that panics have been brought about by the British aerial attacks on German towns.

At Coblentz, according to a Basel despatch, there were several outbreaks of fire in the southern portion of the town, and an ammunition factory was abount up. The railway station at Fribourg was again badly damaged.

Swiss travellers report that in the reaching there objectives in a majority of cases having been prevented by the anti-aircraft guns from reaching them.

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amed food administrator for the city of Lowell by the executive committee

of the public safety committee. Mr. Fisher will be assisted by four sub-administrators and these men will see to it that whatever national or state food laws are made, will be lived up to in Lowell. Their work will cov-er food production, food control, retail merchants, hotels, club and restau-



HON. EDWARD FISHER

rants. The public safety committee is planning to organize the work on a detailed basis but plans for this phas of the work have not yet been com-

pleted.

Mr. Fisher has been serving as assistant food administrator in Middle-sex county. The increasing need for food control has necessitated the appointment of such an officer.

The committee last night appointed City Librarian Fred A. Chase recorder for a bureau of records which will keep tabs on the war happenings in Lowell.

The National Secuebra Logger is the

in Lowell.

The National Security league is to hold a petriotic meeting in Lowell on April 2 and the public safety committee approved the proposed meeting at last evening's session.

#### RESCUE LEAGUE REPORT

Miss Emily M. Skilton, field secretary of the Florence Crittenton Rescue league of Lowell, makes the following report for the year 1917:

Our girls this year have numbered 183. Sixty of them have been wayward girls from 24 Protestant churches.

ward girls from 24 Protestant churches.
Court cases 34; interviewed with the aid of vice commission 18; girls returned to their homes in the clty 9; runaway and wayward girls returned to their homes out of the state 6. We have placed in private families 18; in the Ayer home 2; sent to the Y.W.C.A. summer camp 6; to live at the Y.W.C.A. summer camp 6; to live at the Y.W.C.A. 4; has adopted 1; placed under guardianship 2; to the Welcome house. Boston, 3; Girls' Industrial school. Dorchester, 1; Children's Friend society 1; examined and found mentally deficient by Dr. Benner 10; Boston Psychopathic hospital 1; committed to Waverly school 1; committed to Waverly school 1; committed to Wrentham school 2.

We have presented our work to the public 13 times, have consulted eight lawyers in connection with court work, and have made 62 visits on 21 physicians.

The Lowell General hospital has cared for eight parties, free of expense.

pense.

The society wishes to express its thanks to lawyers, physicians, the Lowell General hospital and all friends who have kindly aided and supported our work during the past

supported our work carries year.

In November, owing to changed conditions in the work, the home on Parker street was discontinued and we removed to \$33 Stevens street, where arrangements have been made for the care of girls needing our help.

Miss C. Alice Rowell, the treasurer, submits the following report:

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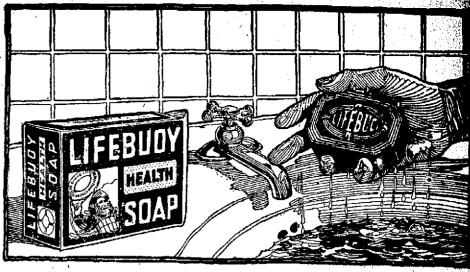
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# What happens when you wash your hands?

Most of us think that if our hands look clean, that is enough. Washing your hands means much more than that.

As a matter of health it is hard to exaggerate the importance of washing your hands properly, and at the right time.

Your skin is covered with little openings-the mouths of the fat and sweat glands. Every inch of the skin on the palm of your hand, for example, contains 2,700 of these little mouths.

Through these mouths, the skin gives off oils, perspiration, waste matter from the system. This cast off matter is thrown off at the rate of one quart every twenty-four hours. It accumulates on the skin, gathers up dust, dirt and impurities.

#### What soap really does

Water alone, as you know, will not get the dirt off. You must use soap. The moment soap and water come in contact with the skin, the soap separates into two parts: one part absorbs the impurities that are in the pores, the other part forms a lather which takes up these impurities together with the dirt and dust and carries them off into

It was the need of keeping the mouths of the skin thoroughly clean that gave the biggest soap makers in the world the idea of making a soap that would do more than cleanse. They undertook to make a soap that would leave the skin antiseptically cleanwhat doctors call clean.

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# The Health Soap

of that 200 Germans took part in the fighting.
One wounded soldier claims that Gen.
Semenoff troops bayonetted the armed Germans in a hand to hand combat.

# FOOD COMMITTEE HOLDS

"With a greater population than the entire state of New Hampshire, and two and one-half times that of Yermont, Middiesex county raises only one-tenth of what it consumes." This statement was given out at a meeting—the annual one-of the food production committee of the land in the office of the park department or by calling by telephone, 3750. The summer months by calling by telephone, 3750. The committee will get busy at once and one half in the office of the park department or by calling by telephone, 3750. The statement was given out at a meeting—the annual one—half times that of the Lowell public safety committee of the land in the office of the park department or by calling by telephone, 3750. The committee will get busy at once and he urged the committee to get busy at once and do its utmost to bring about the tilling of more land in Lowell pext spring.

Signs of worms are: De-

At the cost of a small jar of ordinary cold cream one can prepare a full quarter pint of the most wonderful lemon skin whitener and complexion beautifier, by squeezing the inice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing three counces of orchard white. Care should be taken to strain the juke through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this fortion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juke is used to bleach a darkened skin and remove such blemishes as freekles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener and beautifier.

Just try ft. Get three ounces of orchard white at any drug store and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quarter pint of this sweetly fragrant town lollon and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. It is marvelous to whiten rough, red hands.

establish headquarters in the office | the entire summer OPERATING establish headquarters in the office of the park department at city hall, where downtiers of land and analysis where donations of land and applications for land will be received.

George H. Upton, who supervised HARBIN, Manchuria, March H.—Released German prisoners are co-operating with the holsheviki in Siberia in the campaign against the forces of Gen. Semenoff, leader of the non-Holsheviki faction. Wounded soldiers of Gen. Semenoff's command say that in a battle on March I they were fired upon by former German prisoners attached to the Bolshevik forces. It is estimated that 200 Germans took part in the fighting. the work last year, explained the He could see no reason why Low-ell would not double its tilling area this year. It was suggested that the 500,000 square feet of land on the old Fair grounds, which is now owned by the city, be plowed and turned into garden plots, for it is figured that the land will be of more use as garden plots than as circus grounds, and it was voted to re-quest the public property depart-ment to donate the land for garden purposes. ourposes.

how often children suffer from worms, they would take care and guard against this common ailment of child-hood.



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Alexander Main, D.D., rector of the Inglies of Jesus Christ. The words from St. Paul's leiter witten in prison to the Philippians: "I can dearly things in him who is daily atrengthening me."

Those were not the words of a young enthusiast," said the preacher, but of an elderly man in frail health a prisoner awaiting the result of his trial; and he is writing to some far away friends. He is telling them very questly and simply what is the secret of his enduring cheerfulness and courage. So I think it is worth while to Don't Fail to Attend

then came that womerful resovery that just as Jesus was the final revelation to the world, of the nature of God, so he was also the final revelation of the possibilities of manhood in this life. And the more utterly he yielded to the influence of the character of Christ, the more he fulfilled his own manhood. **Y.M.** and **Y.W.H.A.** manhood.

That is the secret of St. Paul. It is the secret of the Christian religion. It is the distinguishing characteristic of the gospel of Jesus Christ. It is simply true that Christlanity is Christ; and all else, church, creed, sacraments and preaching, are of value only as they help us verify this truth for ourselves. It was the secret of Christianity in the first century; it is the secret of Christianity in the first century; it is the

AT ASSOCIATE HALL, WEDNES-DAY EVENING, MARCH 20

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Aria for Contralto
O Don Fatale (Don Carlos)...Verdi
Group for Cello
a-Air and Variations ...Haydn
b-Melodio ...Massanet
c-Spanish Dance ...Popper
Group for Flanc

a—Gayotte
b—Cantique D'Amour
Jroup for Contralto
a—Cherry Ripe
b—Cuckoo Clock

b—Cuckoo Clock Grant-Schaffer c—Carnival Fourdrain Group for Cello a—Petito Waltz Hollman b—Spfinning Song Popper Songs with Cello Obligato

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will be seen during the entire week. This is none other than the play which made Kyrle Bellew fannous. It is taken from the book by the same name by E. A. Hornung. Mike Donlin, the former ball player, has a good part in this production. During the entire week the Hearst-Pathe pictures will be shown.

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COTTON BLANKETS-200 pairs of heavy wool finish blankels, large size, white only; \$3.00 value, at, pair

BED SPREADS-Heavy crochet hed spreads, full size, handsome patterns; \$2.00 value, at, each ......

WOOL DRESS GOODS-Just opened, two cases of wool dress goods remnants; Storm Serge, India Twill, Panama, and Covert; from 36 inches to 50 inches wide, in all colors; \$1.00 

BLEACHED COTTON-One case of Eagle Bleached Cotton, full pieces, very fine quality, equal to Fruit and Hill; 20c

25c value, at, yard ..... CURTAIN MUSLIN-Heavy curtain muslin, in large variety of

patterns, full pieces, 36 inches wide; 20e value, at 15c yard ....

TURKISH TOWELS—Large and heavy bemmed Turkish towels, bleached; 39e value, at, each...... 25c

#### READY-TO-WEAR SECTION

HOUSE DRESSES-Ladies' house dresses, made of fine gingham and percale, in several new styles. Special \$1.00

SATEEN SKIRTS-Ladies' skirts, made of fine permanent finish mercerized sateen, in about 10 different styles, \$1.00

assorted shades of gray and brown; sizes 7 to \$5.00

Shortly after 12 o'clock while Byron F. Cady and Joseph Carl, a foreman for Mr. Cady, were talking in the former's office in the building in Fletcher street, a young man rushed into the place and said that there was a fire at the Western average building nue building.
Mr. Cady and Mr. Carl each grabbed

an extinguisher and upon arriving at and turned over to the interest of the building saw flames authorities for deportation. sissuing from the basement where The four were described two engines and two truck companies, to the scene, but the moment Chief Saunders arrived be con-

Saunders arrived he ordered the sounding of a second alarm, and this vas immediately followed by the send-

in the city.

By the time the department arrived in Western avenue the flames were through the basement shooting out windows and the windows on the first enue side, while in the rear, overlookenue side, while in the rear, overlook-ing the Western canal, the building was one mass of flames. Ladders were immediately raised against the build-ing and fought from every point of vantage, but owing to the canal in the rear of the building, the flames could be fought only from the front ion of the railroad bridge and several and also kept the railroad bridge wet down after the fire had started the woodwork on the bridge in several

The work of the firemen was greatly retarded by the dense volumes of black smoke which poured out of the build-ing and also because of the amount of lumber, boxes and machinery in that portion occupied by the Cady box shop and the large smount of grain and hay in Wilder & Wotton's so intense at times that it was neces! sary for some of the companies to play water directly on the firemen in or-der that the later who were in the ouilding could do more effective work

Shortly after 1 o'clock the rear of the vooden structure fell into the canal and clouds of steam and burning embers comment. were carried by the wind for hundreds of yards. One of these fell on the awn ing in front of the furniture store of A Henri Lemaitre & Co. at 487 Middleses street and the awning was practically destroyed before the fire was extin-

The wind was blowing in the direc street and several small broke out in piles of lumber were speed-

After an hour of hard and sharp fighting on the part of the firemen it was assured that the fire would not spread to adjoining property unless there was a sudden shift in the wind, but it was long after that that the fire was fully linder control. under control.
While the firemen were fighting the

employes of Cady's and Wilder & Watton's together with neonle were attracted to the scene, rendered assistance in moving out valuable books, office affects, etc., but the head Montreal suckey, who while employed from the fire increased so rapidly that the workers were driven from the juilding.

According to information received. were attracted to the scene, rendered

Byron F. Cady, one of the members of the firm of Geo. F. Cady & Sons in conversation with a representative of The Sun, said that he was at a loss to know just how the fire started. "I talk on war as seen from

he basement and so far as 1 know he exhibited some of the things worm here was no one in the building at by the soldiers in the trenches, such the time excepting one of the employes who was cating his dinner on the second floor. It is possible that the cating in the hay which caused the fire

boxes and machinery in the building.
On the first floor were planers, saws, a marcher, stripping saw, nailing machine, cutting saw and square off saw, chine, cutting saw and square off saw, filled to capacity. On the first floor were planers, saws, a marcher, stripping saw, nailing machine, cutting saw and square off saw, while the machinery on the second floor consisted of a nailing machine, cutting up saws, looking machines, box planers, two stripping saws, hole boring machine, machine for clapboarding and others. There were also a large number of completed boxes on hand and a good supply of lumber.

Traffic Tied Un

and he took general charge of the off

Among the others who were early ar-rivals were Mayor Perry D. Thompson, Commissioners Francis A. Warnock and George H. Brown, State Inspector Angus McDonald, insurance men and a number of railroad officials.

Fred C. Church carried the insurance on the Cady property and also the Franklin hotel building, which was threatened.

As a result of this afternoon's fire in Western avenue three laundry plants in that section were forced to suspend on-

o who called in the United States navy left for Boston this morning to report to proper authorities after having been called into the service. On the occasion of his departure a number of friends gathered at the homo of liugh Matthews in Fayelle street last evolution and prosented Mr. McCaffrey a handsome gold signet ring. A varied entortainment program was given and refreshments were served.

Triends gathered at the homo of liugh the course, was destroyed. The majority of the comployes were sent home for the half of those present, gave Mr. dones afternoon. It is not known just how refreshments were served.

WAKEFIELD, March 18 .- Donald Millier of Athens, Mich., a naval re-servist, died of diphtheria at Camp

he said, made necessary

and two women of foreign birth, living in fashionable quarters here and said diplomats and high officials of foreign governments, were arrested today by and turned over to the immigration

the ties objectionable to the governmenthis Mrs. Nix is said to have admit

receiving \$3,800 from Count von Bernstorf, although she claims it was a lonn. The government seized a safe deposit box rented by Madame Storch and it was said that codes and much correspondence were found. They are expected to throw more light upon their activities, the exact nature of which the authorities did not disclose. Madame Storch is also known as Madame Nord, and is said to be the leader ame Nezia and is said to be the les of the group.

was learned from an examination of po

left for Albany yesterday.

personal term, that his criticism

that the country was not responsive

MUCCULAGO OF EASTERN LEAGUE BASEBALL CLUB OWNERS

SPRINGFIELD March cheduled meeting of Eastern league nave been held here this afternoon, has been postponed until some day next week. A meeting of the eague is set for March of the International owners regarding the coming season will be a factor in determining the fate of the Providence

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Word has been received in this city

mane and also gave some intimate

TROTZKY PLACES HIMSELF AT HEAD OF COMMERCE IN PET-ROGRAD

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Ambas-sador Francis today confirmed press despatches that Leon Trotzky, former foreign minister of Russia, had placed himself at the head of a commune in Petrograd. The ambassador referred at the communicate as a new name for the Folshevilli in Petrograd.

Trotzky is now known as the com-missary of the commune.

MERRIMACK RIVER ICE

The ice in the Merrimack river Is

The ice in the Merrimack river is still intact, the mild weather of yesterday having little effect on it, though it is thought that it has melted a few inches during the past 48 hours. There is no immediate danger of a sudden breaking up of the ice unless a warm rain or sudden change to warm weather should occur.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Miss Aurise Lambert was the guest of honor at a birthday party given recently at her home, 13 Common avenue. The occasion was the young lady's 18th birthday. In the course of the evening she was presented many beautiful gifts, and later a musical program was carried out.

MR. JONES HONORED

Mr. James Jones, who is soon to leave for Fort Slocum, N. Y., as a member of the regular army, was hap-pily surprised last evening at his home, 6 Lane atreet, when a large number of his friends gathered to bid

TEEEGRAPHIC BREVITIES THE STOCK

narket opening was attended by me rate steadiness and light operation Ralls were erratic, gains in Eric Southern Pacific being balanced servist, died of diphtheria at Camp Plunkett here today, and three re-servists ill with the disease were re-moved to the naval hospital at Chel-sea. The company came here recently from Peekskill, N. Y., for ride pracheaviness of Canadian Pacific and Si Paul pfd. Specialties also reacted Leaders, as represented by Reading and U. S. Steel made slight advances Liberty bonds were irregular. Prices yielded gradually soon after

WASHINGTON, March 18.—An appropriation of \$188,000,000—double that originally proposed—was asked of congress by Secretary Daniels today, for naval aviation during the next fiscal year. Recent war developments, was nominal. United S the opening on a minimum of busi-ness. Reactions ranging from fraction to a point were made by Reading WASHINGTON, March 18 .-- Proposed increased proportional rates for trans-portation of grain products from Min-neapolis and St. Paul to Chicago and Milwaukee, for forwarding by lake routes to the cast, were found justivance in equipments. ied today in a tentative report by an nierstate commerce commission exam-

Liquidation formed a considerable giving 50 per cent, extra pay in the aviation service, the senate military part of the increased offerings of the committee today reported the omnibus set hour at extreme recessions of 2 bill, amending the national defence act, without the repeal provision. Itelepal had been recommended by Gen. Pershing and by the war department. 95.84 to 96.

New York Clearings NEW YORK, March 18.—Exchanges, \$453,891,505; balances, \$46,833,857.

Spot steady; middling 34.30.

of Boston were open today with class-es held on regular schedules, for the first time since they closed for the Christmas recess on Dec. 21. Stocks WASHINGTON, March 18 ministration's bill to establish a war finance corporation already passed by

Fellows by her husband,

the senate was before the house again today with leaders confident of a final NEW YORK, March 18.-Funeral se

Hindenburg will soon win for us com-

(Scribner) Fellows by her husband, Indge William B. Fellows of Tilton.

and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Emma H. Scribner of Ashland.

ers from all over New England will neet here tonight under the direction

vices for James Stillman, banker and philanthropist, who died Friday, were held today in St. Barthelomew's Frotestant Episcopal church. Among those

Berlin says demobilization of three of oldest landstrum levies serving with the Austrian forces. of men born in 1867, 1868 and 1869, will begin immediately and will be completed by May, October and December respectively.

WASHINGTON, March 18 .- Transfer of the government's packing investiga-tion from Chicago to Kansas City with the first hearings tomorrow was anhearings tomorrow was an-today by the federal trade commission.

WASHINGTON, March 18.—At his own request Theodore E. Ferris of New York, formerly chief ship designer for the emergency fleet corporation, will appear tomorrow before the senate committee to reply of irregularities in connection

of inquiry concerning the payments and two weeks more may be required to complete the work. Distribution to complete the work. Distribution of January checks was completed Feb.

BERLIN REPORTS 22 ENTENTE AIR-PLANES DOWNED BY

BERLIN, March 18, via London-BERLLY, MARCH 18, VIA LONDON.—
Twenty-two entents airplanes were
hrought down by the Germans yesterday on the Franco-Belgian front, army
headquarters announced today.
French airmen, the statement declares, bombed lospital establishments

at Le Thour (north of Rheims.)

Alfred Barrett and Miss Wilhelma Sherlock, both of this city, were mar-ried Saturday at the parsonage of the Methodist church in Nashua, N. H., the ceremony being performed by the pas-tor, Rev. E. A. Durham. The couple were unattended. The bridegroom is a machinist, while the bride is employed as an inspector in a local ammunition factory.

27 William St., New York Largest Circulation in its Field in the World

THE SUN IS ON SALE AT THE NORTH STATION BOSTON

10 96.25 and second 4s at 95.86 to 96.5 Rails became fairly active at lower quotations in the afternoon. Canadian Pacific was the weakest feature forfeiting an additional 1 1-2 points.

Trans-continentals also lost ground with Raiding Mericana. with Reading, Mexican Petroleum American Smelting and sugars and to to its decision against repealing laws baccos, giving 50 per cent. extra pay in the Liqui

AMSTERDAM, March 17.-'T have rong hope that Field Marshal von

NEW YORK, March 18.—Cotton fu-tures opened steady. March, 32:95; May, 32:10; July, 31:55; October, 30:47; plete victory on the western front, reads a message sent by Emperor Wilthe Pomeranian provincial as quoted in the Lokal An-Futures closed firm. March 23.38; day 32.49; July 31.92; October 30.7 CONCORD, N. II., March 18.—Gov. Henry W. Keyes and the executive council today accepted for the state 140 acres of land in the town of Ashland, given in memory of Mrs. Ida G. ecember 30.60.

Money Market

New YORK, March 18, Mercantile
paper, 4 months, 6; six months, 6;
Sterling: Sixty-day bills, 4.72 1-2; commercial 60-day bills on banks, 4.72; conmercial 60-day bills on banks, 4.72; commercial 60-day bills, 4.71½; damand, 4.75½; cables, 4.76-76, Francs;
Demand, 5.72%; cables, 5.71%; Guilders: Demand, 5.72%; cables, 5.60, Rubles: Demand, 5.72%; cables, 8.60, Rubles: Demand, 4.76½; cables, 3.60, Rubles: Demand, 13; cables, 13½, nominal, Barsilver, 37. Mexican dollars, 70. Government bonds, heavy; raitroad bonds, asy.

of the New England Amateur Athletic Time loans, strong, 60 days, 90 days, and six months, 6 bid. to decide the championship in Call money, firm; high, 5½; low, 5½; ruling rate, 5½; closing bid, 5; offered at 5½; last loan, 5½. BOSTON, March 18 -- All the schools NEW YORK MARKET

WASHINGTON, March 18 .-- Preparation of February pay allotment and Maxwell 1st... Maxwell 2st... M

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Nat Duke of New York, assistant freight traffic nanager for the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railread today was ar pointed food administration traffic director in the northeast.

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IN THE STOCK MARKET?

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Willys Overland 1836
Westinghouse 4125
Western Un 9335
Ex-Div...\* BOSTON, March 12.—Coppers with the general list showed frac-tional advances in early trading on the local market today. BOSTON MARKET
RAILROADS
High Low Close

Stocks High 46 Roston Elevated 47 46 28 ½ N Y & N H 29 3 28 ½ MINING 1% 1% Alaska Gold MINII
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Butte & Superior
Centennial
Chino 4
Gopher Range
Davis Daly
E. Butte
Franklin
Inspiration
Isle Royale
Miami Miami Mohawk 3 % 44 46 % 236

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# FRENCH AND IN HEAVY FIGHTING

French and German troops have been engaged in heavy fighting on both sides of the Meuse in the Verdun sector. West of the river the French have gained the enemy positions on a front of about 1400 yards to a depth of 800 yards, while east of the river the Germany. German Advance in Russia Having occupied Odessa and Nikolayev, important naval and grain ports, the Germans in southern Russia continue their advance northward from the Black sea toward Kherson, an impormans were unsuccessful in strong attacks on a six mile front. tant commercial center and capital of the province of the same name. The

attacks on a six mile front.

Sunday the Germans sent heavy forces against the French positions at Samogneux, north of the Bols de Caurieres and near Bezonvaux. They entered the French line at various points. Violent French artillery fire inflicted heavy casualities on the attackers, and ere unable to hold the trenche d gained. The front east of th lent artillery fire during the last month

#### French Penetrate German Tranches

The French success west of the rive vas made at Malancourt, west of Dead diately west of Malancourt, the French late Friday penetrated German trench es on a front of 800 metres to a depth of 300 metres. After destroying the of 300 metres. After destroying the positions they returned with eighty prisoners and seven machine guns. Bast of Rheims, in the Champagne, German troops gained momentarily a footing in French positions west of Vaudestneourt, but suffered heavily under a counter attack which restored the situation.

Germans Abandon Raids Raiding activity on the British front has died down somewhat, and the Germans, for the moment at least, have given up their strong raids on the Ypres-Arras line. The artillery fire here and in the Cambrai area, however is intense. British airmen persist in their bombing raids against military targets and have accounted for 23 more German machines.

American Artillery Active American patrol parties with valuable information dery fire has been very heavy, the 400 miles south of Moscow).

from the war office today. The state

our troops penetrated the opposing trenches on a front of 800 metres to a depth of 300 metres. After destroying

the shelters, blockhouses and defense

returned to their own lines with 80 prisoners belonging to three different regi

ments were active and successful in en

tering enemy positions. Near Vauglos they brought back ten prisoners in 2

nid. Near Malancourt an incursion arried out under a heavy bembardment

carried out under a heavy bombardment enabled the French to bring back forty prisoners. On the right bank of the Meuse German batteries during the night bombarded violently all points between the Meuse and Bezenvaux

French counter fire also increased. Im

mediately north of St. Mibiel our pa

tablishments behind the enemy front.

HOLD IMMEDIATE DISMISSAL FROM

SERVICE HEAVY ENOUGH

WASHINGTON, March 18 .- Despite

nose a more severe sentence on First Lient John G. Dwyer of the Medical Reserve service, tried for not giving proper attention to a private at Camp

ment Secretary Baker ordered them

returned for review. Army orders to-day revealed that the court-martial held to its original sentence and noth-ing remained for the department to do

Another similar case also was sent back with the expectation of a more

severe penalty. That case is now in the president's hands, and it is un-derstood that again the trial court has stood by its original finding.

ATHENS, March 16.—Two Greek officers, who were landed on the west coast of the Peloponnesus by a German

submarine, have been arrested. They are said to have been sent by former King Constantine to obtain information

CAPSIZED BOAT CONTAINING BOD-

IES OF THREE SAILORS

WASHED ASHORE

GREEK OFFICERS

ARREST OF TWO

on the state of the kingdom.

but to carry it out.

on March 16 one German airpian destroyed and four others we aged severly by French aviator bombing squadrons dropped 70

trols made prisoners.

en machine guns.

the night French detach-

and are calling upon the local s to form military organizations which to combat the Germans, their invasion continue further into

Raid by English Troops LONDON, March 18.—"English troops carried out a successful raid last night south of Acheville and captured several with little loss to themselves,' today's official communications were inflicted on the enemy n patrol encounters northeast of Zonne

al, and all government and mill-

The Bolshevik leaders, all ay urged and obtained rati

beke.

"Hostile artillery was active during the night south of the Bapaume-Cambrai road and in the neighborhood of Lens, activity."

"Box one description of the Bapaume-Cambrai road and in the neighborhood of Lens, activity." and there was considerable activity against our forward areas between Warneton and Zonnebeke.'

#### Germans Push On in Russia

in the province of Tchernigov, about 360 miles southwest of Moscow) were forced to retire from Briansk (in

# FRENCH RAIDERS SWISS GOVERNMENT **DEMANDS INDEMNITY**

**VERY ACTIVE** PARIS, March 17.—French raiders of the German government demanding the payment of an indemnity for the destruction of the grain steamer Sardinero. The note raides, according to an official statement authorities.

The Spanish steamer Sardinero, under charter by the Swiss government was torpedoed on Feb. 26. She was "North of the Chemin des Dames the artillery on both sides showed great acinited States. The sinking aroused trong feeling in Switzerland and prothe left bank of the Meuse illy newspapers there urged that the French troops carried out at nightful a large raid in the region of the Cheppy bread rations of the German colony in

# ALLEGED PLOTTER AND

NEW YORK, March 18 .- Sailendry cisco, with Franz Bopp, German consul

hoe manufacturing concerns making army shoes for the government have some departments because of an order of the government that a certain and of sole leather shall not be used t has been found some of the leathe

leather weak and unsatisfactory.

Inspectors in the factories bave been ordered not to pass any of this teather and because of this order the army WASHINGTON, March 12.—Despite Secretary Baker's expressed view that immediate dismissal from the service is not a heavy enough penalty for army medical officers convicted of neglecting their soldier patients, an army court-martial has declined to improve the services services on the services and the services are services. shoe output here today was almost at a standstill. The big C. A. Eaton Co and George E. Kelth Co. plants are

affected, together with several smaller fended towns. ones,
The manufacturers have named a committee to confer with government agents in Boston tomorrow in the hope that the latest order may be modified.

#### When the original findings of the purther Conferences on Fin-ANCIAL DIFFICULTIES OF NEW HAVEN ROAD

ed by the New Haven to meet notes maturing April 15 or that approvat had been given for other bond issues by companies holding big blocks of

ew Haven stock. These suggestions, he said, are among the many discussed, but government is not satisfied with olan put forward heretofore

TRADE COMMISSION AGAINST

CHICAGO CLUB WASHINGTON, Mar. 18 .- Complaint HALIFAX, N. S. March 18.—A was search by the federal trade commission today against the Chicago three gailors, either Japanese or Photo-Engravers' club, charging unchinese, was washed ashore at Crow fair methods of competition. Island yesterday, according to word

Chinese, was washed ashore at Grow Hall and yesterday, according to word received here loday. In shipping circles it was believed the boat was from the Dominion Coal company's steamer the Dominion Coal company's steamer arrangement with the Engagement in the chinese arrangement with the Engagement in the gravers' union by which union work-men will not accept employment union will not accept em complaint.

# have been given to evacute Kharkov.

BERNE. March 15 .- The Swiss gov-

Nath Ghose, a Hindu, under indictiment in the federal courts in San Franand others for plotting a military up-rising in India, was arrested today charged with being a fugitive from fustice, together with a young woman

#### GOVERNMENT ORDERS PLANTS AT BROCKTON TO

CLOSE DEPARTMENTS

WASHINGTON, March 18 .- Further

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Further conferences on financial difficulties of the New Haven railroad were held to-day by railroad administration efficials with officers of the road but it was said an agreement probably would not be reached for a week.

Director of Finance Williams, of the railroad administration, denied reports that the government had agreed to provide half of the \$43,000,000 need-led by the New Haven to meet note the Somme, among the rulined sent of the Somme, among the rulined provide half of the New Haven to meet note the somme, among the rulined provide half of the New Haven to meet note the somme, among the rulined provide half of the New Haven to meet note the somme, among the rulined provides the source of the Somme, among the rulined provides the source of the somme, among the rulined provides the source of the somme, among the rulined provides the source of the sourc

# COMPLAINT ISSUED BY FEDERAL

# GERMANS PLANS FOR OPERATION OF DILITCH SHIPPING OF DUTCH SHIPPING

WASHINGTON, March 18—Plans for operation of the Dutch shipping which will be acquired by the United States and Great Britain, either through voluntary agreement or by requisition, were going forward steadily today while the government awaited the reply of Holland to the demand that she accede to the terms of the contract which Gormany blocked, or suffer seizure of all many blocked, or suffer seizure of all her tonnage in American and British

Holland's reply which has been despatched to London, is expected by offi-cials to conclude the negotiations there today. Seizure of the ships in Ameri-

cials to conclude the negotiations there dody. Selzure of the ships in American waters will be dealyed, however, until the reply is received here, which may not be until tomorrow.

Operation of the ships will be under control of the shipping board. Announcement of the trade to which they will be put has been withheld, but it is understood that most of them will be inderstood that most of them wil used, under the American flag and ado quately armed, to carry food through the war zone to the allies.

As soon as word is received here of Holland's decision the navy department will put men on board the vessels to will put men on board the vessels to take formal possession. It is under-stood the navy department will provide sufficient. American sallors, possibly from the naval reserve, to comply with the American laws, the remainder of the crews to be made up of Dutch sail-

About 80 Dutch ships of probably 600,000 tons will be taken over by the American government. Some of them already are in the American service under a ninety day agreement made with Holland two months ago.

uniform has almost disappeared from public places in Paris, and on the boulevards the felt hat of the American soldier is not seen as much as during he last 11 months. With the removal his month of the rallway transpation corps from Parls to a city

ne or more officers, but the large staff; instreman are those whose presence is nocessary because they are working in co-operation with similar departments of the French army which are centered in Paris. These include the technical branches, aviation, engineers

The central army postoffice have the several thousand to a few hundred.

men, who, in addition to performing men, who, in addition to performing regular duties during the day, are called out at night to remove persons wounded in German air raids. The pross and the public generally acknowledge and praise highly the help given by these three days are the contraction. knowledge and praise highly the help given by these boys during the night air raids and during the dangerous fire following Friday's explosion, when they saved many lives at the risk of their own.

The only soldiers coming to Paris on general leave are those belonging to railway and engineering regiments.

# on general leave are those belonging to railway and engineering regiments attached to the British army. Paris leaves have been denied the officers and men of other units except in special cases, such as the presence of relatives become

PARIS, March 16.—An important de-bate appears to be in prospect in the chamber of deputies on the subject of reprisals for aerial attacks on Paris. Recently there has been a revival of the discussion concerning the possibility of rents to cease reprisals of all kinds particularly air raids over open towns outside the fighting zone. This discussion originated in the report that the central powers had made a proposal to this effect through neutrals, at the same time agreeing to give up the use of gas and liquid for

ing a step in the opposite direction.

In France there always has been a strong element hostile to hombardment of any but purely military objectives.

Premier Clemenceau is said not to be in favor of reprisals in the way of altacks on women and children in undefended towns.

Abel Ferry, radical socialist deputy and a member of the army committee, announces he will ask the government to propose to the enemy through neutrals, that all reciprocal action of the various aviation corps be limited to the zone of bombardings by cannot be the one of bombardment by cannon of the longest range. The objection is raised, however, that Nancy. Dunkirk and Rhieims would thus be at the mercy of the Germans, whereas the allies could reply only against Belglan, French or Alsatian towns.

PERONNE, France March 18.—Girls from Smith college, Northampton, Mass., have been active in the department of the Somme, among the rouned villages and devastated farms, the last organizing the distribution week briganizing the inscription of scens for spring planting. The system and celerity with which they learned the wants of those who are about to try to reclaim the soil of the region devas-tated by the Germans in their retreat in 1917, impressed the Inhabitants. Or-ders were taken for everything from dors were taken for everything from Ernssels sprouts to parsnips. Th seeds, which will be delivered by moto truck, are being sold at prices low enough to be acceptable and high enough to prevent waste.

### WATCH AND SIGNET RING

John McCaffrey of Concord street, who enlisted in the United States navy left for Boston this morning to report to proper authorities after having boon called into the service. On the occasion of his departure a number of

# ened, but a fire curtain on the side of the building nearest to where the fire broke out saved that building from destruction. The latter building is occupied by George L. Cady & Sons, mill supplies and the Highland and Mussoy's Steam laundries. Discovery Of Fire Shortly

issuing from the? basement where about 25 or 30 bales of hay were stored. The hand extinguishers had no effect on the fire and an alarm was immediately sounded from box 121 which brought five hose companies, little Nix. Although each stopped at a true engines and two truck commanies different holes or anontment they were Henri de Beville, Count Robert de

Mrs. Nix is said to have admitted receiving \$3,000 from Count von Bern-

# WILLIAM BARNES QUESTIONED FOR

REMARK NEW YORK, March 18.—For meaning a remark which two army officers in his company construed as being unpatriotic. William Barnes, formerly republican leader of New York state, was taken to a police station early yesterday, where, after Barnes made explanation the company of the property of the statement of the control of the statement of the stat NEW YORK, March 18.-For makin. olainants' charges were withdrawn, ice records today.

secretary at his home here today was quoted as saying that Br. Barnes con sidered the incident too trifling to merit

York, and it is fairly certain Eastern men will not Men were also located at the lumber gethor until after that time. The plans yards of Davis & Sargent in Middlesex of the International owners regarding

#### e much desired the Eastern league.

lost his life during a fire abo U. S. destroyer Burrows on who The deceased is the son of the late rendered A. Bourke, former organizer general valuable for the Artisans Canadiens-Francais, a

the workers were building.

Three horses belonging to Cady were rescued as was an automobile which belonged to Mr. Cady and which was stored on the first floor of the ship. Bourke with a mate named Martin O'Callaghan of Columbus, 0, made with O'Callaghan of Columbus, 0, made with for the fire extinguishers, and

GAVE WAR TALK

Irashe Tied Up
Inasmuch as there were several lines of hose laid across the tracks on the railroad bridge traffic on the steam road was tied up for over an hour. It was impossible to clear the tracks of the hose owing to the fact that there were four companies fighting the fire from the bridge.

Because of the fact that this district is considered one of the most hazardous in the event of a fire, thousands of people were attracted to the scene and at first the yinterfered to some extent with the operations of the firemen, but shortly after the general alarm was sounded a sufficient number of police officers appeared on the scene to handle the crowd in good shape. Supt. Redmond Welch was one of the first on the scene and he took general charge of the offi-

erations on account of lack of power,

# SOCIETY NEWS

Sermons on the life of St. Patrick were the features at the masses in the Catholic churches of the city yesterday. Yesterday was also Passion Sunday and next Sunday will be Palm Sunday.

Rev. Timothy P. Callahan celebrated the perish mass at St. Patrick's church yesterday morning and Rev. William F. Mahan, O.M.I., delivered a sermon on St. Patrick. A special musical program was carried out by the choir under the direction of Michael J. Johnson and the direction of Michael J. Johnson and the sanctuary choir under the direction of Brother Nilus. At the 7 o'clock mass the members of the C.Y.M.L. received communion in a body. Right Rev. William O.Brien, P.R., was the celebrant and Rev. J. J. Kerrigan assisted in giving communion. At the conclusion of the mass broakfast was served in the yearing half and later a business meetty count half and later a business meet-ing was held with Edward Hines pre-

At the \$.30 o'clock mass at St. church yesterday morning the boys of the praish received communion. Rev. Peter Linehan was the celebrant and Rev. Francis L. Shen assisted in giving The Married Ladies' so manion. The starried Ladies so-ty will meet Wednesday ovening at and the members of the Society for Propagation of the Faith on Thurs-

At the Immaculate Conception church last evening a mission for the men of the parish was opened with Rev. Albert L. McDermott, O.M.L., a former Lowell boy, conducting the services. Masses boy, conducting the services. Mass will be said each morning this week 5.30 and 8 o'clock and services will be bold in the evening at 7.30. At the 8 o'clock mass yesterday morning the members of the Third Order of St. Francis and the Children of Mary 85-dailty received communion. Rev. Fr. McDermott, O.M.I., was the celebrant and the pastor, Rev. Lawrence F. Tighe, O.M.I., assisted in giving communion. Rev. Owen P. McQuaid, O.M.I., sang the high mass at 11 o'clock and Rev. Fr. McDermott delivered the sermon. During the services Professor P. P. Hagner, and double barrel shot gun, which was loaded, caused considerable excitement at 46 Hildreth street about 4.30 o'clock Saturday.

Ine retreat for the women of the Salered Heart parish opened last evening and will continue for three days. Rev. John M. O'Brian, O.M.I., of this city is conducting the services. Rev. Clement Flynn, O.M.I., celebrated the high mass yesterday morning and Fr. O'Brian, O. M.I. delivered the sermon. At the 8.30 o'clock mass the members of the Holy Angels' sodality received comments. fernion while under the influence of liquor seized the gun and went into the apartment occupied by Emond.

In court this morning Mr. Emond said that he did not care to press the case and Grant was placed under \$200 bonds to keep the peace. Q.M.I., was the celebrant. Rev. James F. Lynch sang the high

mass at St. Michael's church yesterday morning and Rev. Henry M. Tattan delivered a sermon on St. Patrick. The members of the Immaculate Conception scalality received communion at the 8 o'clock mass. Rev. John J. Shaw, the pastor, was the celebrant.

Rev. Patrick J. Hally, celebrated the carlier masses.

At St. Margaret's church Rev. Williams and also preached the bigh mass and also preached the bear away from camp without leave. A so-dal was hold at Ayer Saturday in which the Connecticut boys acted as hosts and it appears that when the term of clock mass which was celebrated by the pastor, Rev. Charles J. Galligan.

At St. Jean Baptist church yesterday morning the new pulpit was blessed at the 11 o'clock mass. Rev. Eugene Turnotte, O.M.L. celebrated the mass and Rev. Fr. Prudhomme, who is conducting the Lenten mission in the parlsh, preached, the sermon. The an em and with the assistance of Sergt. Insentic parish pression to the propost guard located the parlsh, preached, the sermon. The an em and with the assistance of Sergt. It is thought that the men had agreed to meet at the restaurant in question. One of the provost guard located the men and with the assistance of Sergt. Fetric and members of the vice squad the soldlers were taken to the police station. nual mission for young women in St. Joseph's parish concluded yesterday

The mission for the young men of St. Louis parish was closed at the Caesar Smith and Joseph P. Rock 6.30 mass yesterday morning. Rev. Fr. Jacquemin officiated. The high mass was celebrated by Rev. Eugene VIncent.

The annual mission for the young weeks ago Saturday night the two men got into a fight in a house in Cushing street and knives were used very free-lish concluded Friday night and with appropriate ceremonies. Rev. M. Magnam, who has been conducting the mission, officiated.

In St. Marie's parish a mission for the members of the parish was opened, O.M.L., as the preacher. Services will be held throughout the week at the young girls of the parish received communion in a body.

Weeks ago Saturday night the two men got into a fight in a house in Cushing street and knives were used very free-ly with the result that hold men were taken to St. John's hospital for repairs. Roch after having several wounds on the head and neck and shoulders dressed was taken to the ploice station. Smith's condition, however, was more serious and it was only recently that he was released from the hospital. Larceny of Auto Tire

Alphonse Larochelle was charged with the larceny of an automobile tire belonging to the C. H. Hanson Co., and after being found guilty was ordered

susual hours. Yesterday morning the young girls of the parish received with the laterony of an automobile true belonging to the C. H. Hanson Co. and after being from guilty was ordered by the parish received the later part of the week with impression guilty was ordered by the parish from the home of her south-the later part of the week with impression groung guilty was ordered by the parish for the week with impression groung guilty was ordered by the parish for the part of the week with impression ground guilty as a rest-of saturday by Lieut. Maher and firm and kept it in his bouse units week when he titled to dispose of it to a Middesex street title dealer. He was registered and country of the Portuguesa Church of Corresponding to the C. H. Hanson C. and the street of the week with impression of the cremony was opened Friday morning by a solemn high mass or elevated by Rev. F. V. da Bem, particularly and the street of the portuguesa Church of the Portugue

HAMPTON ROADS DESTROYED BY FIRE

NORFOLK, Va., March 18.—Fire from an unknown cause destroyed the Massachusetts building at the Hamp-ton Roads naval hase early today. The house was cructed by Massachu-setts during the Jamestown exposition. NEW IMMIGRATION It was empty but was to have been used for an aviation school.

west for an aviation school.

THEATRICAL MAGNATE

Mr. S. Z. Poli, the theatrical magnate who is the head of a large chain of theatres, was in Lawell this morning, and visited Manager James F.

Carroll of the Strend theatre who is the bread of a large chain of the strend will be in the East Commodations for 580 persons, 250 more than the present station. Carroll of the Strand theatre, who is than the present station. It will be of commodations for sow persons, so more possible of the Strand theatre, who is than the present station. It will be of hospital. He lived at 630 Merrianck street. He leaves his wife, Sarah E. Stomuch construction of the country of

# AMERICAN PROPERTY

during the war and thereby possibly benefiting Germany's enemies."

WASHINGTON, March 18,-There is one hundred times as much Germany property in the United States as there

ly to a senate committee by A. Mitch ell Palmer, allen property custodian

as passed legislation authorizing

alien property custodian to sell the property holdings of great German or-

erty in America.

Soldiers Arrested

Jail Sentences

morning after they had been found

weeks ago Saturday night the two men

John Pontes. In police court this moru-

ing they were found guilty of being present at a game and each was ordered to pay a fine of \$5.

STATION AT BOSTON

BOSTON, March 18 .- Erection of a

guilty of assault and battery.

The greater part of American prop-

LONDON, March 18.—The Spauish and Swiss ambassadors at Berlin have been directed by the Gorman foreign office to notify the American government that Germany will proceed with STOCKHOLM, March 17.—General mannerhelm, commanding the Finnish government forces, is developing a suc-cessful offensive against the rebels and red guards, according to advices from Vasa. He has captured the village of Heinola and taken 3000 red guard prisin Germany in the same proportion that action is taken action. action is taken against German prop-erty in the United States, Reuter's Am-sterdam correspondent reports. Hitherto, it is stated in the Berlin advices announcing this action, the German government has restricted it-self to measures "absolutely neces-sary to prevent enemy property in Germany being taken out of Germany

# FORD SAYS WORKERS WILL WIN THE WAR

3000 RED GUARDS

"But work will beat them all. The mechanisms turned out by strong, in-telligent wage-earners will triumph tenigent wage-earners with trumpin over the ideas and ideals of the idlers. I hate war, and always did; but I hope this war continues until there are no more idle exploiters of others left upon the earth."

# are no more idle exploiters of others left upon the earth." TURN NULES' HEE HAW THE One great lesson which the Christian religion always teaches, is that this life is brief at hest; that all one desired in the parties are in heaven. INTO HARMLESS WHEEZE

NEW YORK, March 18.-From France comes the cheering news that the bray is being removed from the American army mules. In a despatch published westerday is this:

yesterday is this:
"The Americans have taken up
French veterinary practice, extracting
the bruy from a mule by a slight surgical operation on the nose, so that
the silvery bray, which can be heard
a mile or two upon silent nights at front, will becomes a harmless awaken the cnemy and draw his shell fire'

Soldiers Arrested

Soldiers Arre

and experimented on the vocal organs of the mules, and now they are hee-The poilus admired the spir ing their opinion of the enemy, so they debrayed them, and now brayless muies are the only kind at the front. They also have swearless drivers, but that

is another story.

The operation is described as con-The operation is described as consisting of the removal of some of the mucous membrane of the larynx, thus forcing the vocal cords backwards and preventing their vibration. It is the vibration of the vocal cords which causes roaring in horses and braying of mules. Sometimes it may be necessary to remove the arytenoid cartilage or even a small section from the vocal cords themselves.

# WONDERFUL RESULTS

#### Oil From East Indian Plant for Treatment of Leprosy

SAN FRANCISCO. March 18.—Wonderful results in the treatment of leptosy by the use of an oil extracted from an obscure East Indian plant known as "chaulmogra" have been obtained by louis' church at 2 o'clock, Rev. J. R. the French government in Tahli and other Polynesian possessions, according to Dr. Felix Gaulier of the French gov.

Labossiere officiating. Burlal was in St. Joseph's cemetery, under the direction of Undertakers Joseph Albert & Son.

Son.

Sarrasiv.—The funeral of Henri Poisson took place this march. who arrived here yesterday from Tahli.

"Leprosy made such progress in the islands," he said, "that it seemed for a large from the home of her son-in-law, while as if the whose population would by James street. Solemn high mass of succumb to it. Therefore, the French government established, segregation government established, segregation camps under my direction which contained more than 300 bad cases.
"I am snectality greather."

AMMUNITION EMPLOYES DANCE The U.S. ammunition employes will run their fourth dance at Lincoln hall this evening in honor of St. Patrick's day. Broderick's orchestra will furnish music and dancing will continue nish music and deneing will continue from 8 to 12. The receipts of previous affairs held by the employes were turned over to Battery F in France, Messrs, Pager and McGraft will sing the popular "Over the Top" song hit. A large crowd is expected.

#### DEATHS

SYPHER-Lodwick R. Sepher died yesterday at the Lowell Corporation hospital. He lived at 630 Merrimack struct. He leaves his wife, Sarah E.

# CATHOLIC CHURCH AND GERMANY TO TAKE OVER FINNISH FORCE SEIZE CARDINAL O'CONNELL LOWELL BUSINESS MAN WITH THE ARMY AMERICANS HELD PRAISES IRISH RACE

18.—Cardinal their devotion to America yesterday in addressing members of the Ancient in addressing memoers of the Ancient Order of Hibernians after they at-tended mass and received holy com-munion at the Cathedral of the Holy

the Hibernians and the Ladies' Auxli-inry comprised the congregation. After the mass the cardinal ad-vanced toward the altar call and spoke

MIL WIN THE WAR After the mass the cardinal advanced toward the altar rail and spoke to the congregation as follows:

"It is always a blessed privilege for me to come here with you on this great feast day of our race to offer up to Aimighty God the holy sacrifice of the mass for your welfare and your hand, in the water and in the air."

Henry Ford, who is doing more, perhaps, than any other individual in the country to produce mechanical battle contrivances, voiced this opinion yesterday. He continued:

"Work, Americans' willingness and capacity to work, is what will bring us victory. Idlers caused the war, idlers of so-called royalty, who by command made others obey them, and capitalistic idlers, who made fortunes and sought greater fortunes by forcing others to do their bidding.

Forsees Doom of Idlers temptations, and remains glorious witness of the p never in the whole history of endem can we find a soil so responsive, so fertile and at the same tim so constant as the sour of the rish people, then we realize the truly re-markable work the saintly bishop did for Ireland, and appreciate what de-

> unat this life is brief at best; that all our eternal interests are in heaven, and that all the silly bubbles of this world combined together—gold, honors, ambition, position, everything—would never serve for one instant to recompense us for the loss of our eternal inheritance—cternal life with Gold. That is the losson of several rick and let us say it with hearts up-lifted, with a glorious sense of pride, that the one nation that has kept true to that lesson was the Irish nation."
> "It kept alive during all the cen-turies two wonderful things—a lesson to the whole world that had traded and battered its hirthylight for a mee-

have brought to America our devotion, our affection, our loyalty and our
fidelity. As God has watched over the
wanderings and the exile of our people in the past, so is He blessing and
watching over your prosperity in the
present and in the future. And remember, sons of St. Patrick, rememher and knep this high in your hearts:
If we are faithful to God; faithful to
St. Patrick, without a doubt, under
God's guidance and blessing, the future is surely yours. God bless you,
God love you, God keep you."

#### AMERICANS ON CASUALTY LIST

OTTAWA, Ont., March 18.-The following American names appear in last hight's casualty list: Wounded and missing: R. Gagnon, Greenville, N. H.

Wounded: F. Hopkinson, East Lynn,

Gassed: II. B. Goodick, Gloucester, Mass.; Hekowitz, Lynn, Mass, Missing: F. E. Hanines, Halloweil,

#### FUNERALS

tained more than 300 bad cases.
"I am specially gratified to announce the splendid result obtained through an application of the oil of chaulmoogra. By the use of this oil, coupled with tonic medicines, which keep the patient from becoming weakened by the ray. By the use of this oil, coupled with router income ages of the disease, some lepers have been permitted to leave the segregadon running were in charge of Undertakers Amedea Archambault

ONE HOUR LATER

CHICAGO, March 18.—Baseball games in the American league will begin at 4 p. m., this year, one hour later than informor years, if B. B. Johnson, president of the league, has his way. He thinks the later start will enable many persons to leave their offices for the day and the attendance will be largely increased.

Before leaving for St. Louis last night he took steps to put the 4 o'clock opening up to the club owners but expressed the opinion that the league would yet as the question and make the openior the construction and make the openior that construction and make the openior that the league would yet as the construction and make the openior that the league would yet as the construction and make the openior that the league would yet a construction and make the openior that the league would yet a construction and make the openior that the league would yet a construction and make the openior that the league would yet a construction and make the openior that the league would yet a construction and make the openior that the league would yet a construction and make the openior that the league would yet a construction and make the openior that the league would yet a construction and make the openior that the league would yet a construction and make the openior to the club where the construction are the construction and the total properties are the construction at the construction and the total properties are the construction at the constructi

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GoldChills Slok
Stomach
ObliChills Slok
Griatica Toothacho Indigestion Headache

# PASSES AWAY

Frederic W. Coburn, president, treas-O'Connell bestowed high praise on the urer and general manager of the C. B. Irish race, their religious fidelity and Coburn Co. and a well known and prominent citizen of Lowell, passed away at his home, 7 Fairmount street, yesterday. He was 45 years of age and although he had been in failing health for several years the news of his death It is estimated that 3500 members of came as a shock to his many friends. Up to about three months ago he was



FREDERIC W. COBURN

but for several weeks past a rapid decline in health set in. He is survived by a wife, Bertha W.; two children, Shirley W. and Charles B. Caburn, and two sisters, Mrs. Frank L. Lane of Burlington Vt., and Mrs. Horace N. Stevens of Plainfield, N. J. Mr. Coburn was born in this city.

Jan. 30, 1873, the son of the late Charles H. and Victoria McLean Coburn. 4 He was educated at the old Bartlett grammar and the Lowell high school, class of 1892, and then attended the Institute of Technology for two years. In 1893 he entered his father's business, and on the death of the latter, became, in 1909, the president and treasurer of the C.

B. Coburn Co. Under Mr. Coburn's management the firm's business expanded, the depart-ments were enlarged and after the fire several years ago the building was ren-ovated and the store refitted in a mod-

ovated and the store related in a mou-ern manner.

The deceased was a member of Kil-winning louge of Masons and the Ves-per Country and Yorlek clubs.

The C. E. Coburn company has had a long and honorable career in the hustness history of Lowell and It was

became incorporated as a city, that the arm of Mixer & Whittemore, dealers in manufacturers' supplies, was es-tablished and located in the old Metablished and located in the old Mechanics building in Dutton street, and the present C. R. Coburn company is the outgrowth of that business. On the dissolution of Mixer & Whittemore, another concern, that of Mixer & Pitman, took up the business and continued it until the advent of Charles B. Coburn in the forties, when he succeeded Isaac Pitman in the partnership. At this time the name of the firm was changed to Mixer & Coburn, under which title the business was run until which title the business was run until which title the business was run butin 1550. In that year Charles B. Coburn became sole proprietor. Ten years la-ter his son Charles H. Coburn entered the firm and in 1871 another son, Ed-ward F. Coburn, was admitted to part-

nership.
In 1880 the company located at its present site in Market street. Frederic W. Cohurn entered the firm in 1898 and in 1904 the firm was incorporated under the name of C. B. Coburn Co. Shortly after the death of Charles H. Coburn, which occurred in June, 1989, Gordon I wood relired from the corporation and Tweed retired from the chromaton and Frederic W. Coburn, grandson of the founder of the company, assumed sole management.

On the morning of March 27, 1912, fire broke out in the store of the C. B. Coburn company and two hours later three floors of the four-story building

Coburn company and two hours later three floors of the four-story building were guited by fire. Before the fire was really under control the C. B. Coburn Co. had rented the four-story building near the corner of Paimer street, the Wier building, which, strange to say, was occupied by this corporation thirty-two years previous to the fire. Two lines of telephones were promptly installed in its temporary quarters and before noon the shipping clerk was taking orders and delivering goods from the store house in Howard street.

delivering goods from the store house in Howard street.
This is referred to hore, because it serves to illustrate the push and business enterprise of the splendid young man who passed away yesterday. The fire that practically destroyed his store did not daunt him in the least, but, on the contrary, it served to reinforce the energy for which he was noted and after an absence of six months from the old store, C. B. Coburn Company returned there. It was a new store at the old stand and Fred Coburn had spared nothing in bringing the store up to date in every way, so that today it o date in every way, so that today it ess, energy and ability.

# CHINESE ARE FLEEING FROM - PEKING

PEKING. March 17 .- The guard of Gov. Chang-Soulin of Muklen province, has arrived at Fengtal, outside Peking, and is making preparations to establish a camp in the Temple of Heaven. The exodus of the Chinese from Peking continues, The Temple of Heaven stands near

the south gate of the outer city of loking. It is surrounded by walls which are over three miles in circumference.

The local evening newspaper is the paper that reaches the home when the whole family is there to read it. The Sun fills this field in Lowell.

# AND NAVY

did another rushing business and the office was full nearly all day with applicants for the naval reserve. Among those accepted up to noon today were William P. Bowers, 445 Lawrence st.; John E. Shine, Lawrence; John Mc Gowan, 16 Varney street; Walter J. Flynn, 223 Wentworth avenue; George Figure 223 wentworth avenue; Raymond B. King, Methuen; Earl W. Glidden, Springdale, Me. All recruits were enlisted as scamon, second class, for the navat reserve.

#### Other Branches

James M. Elliott of this city forwarded to Boston today as a recruit for the cavalry section of the regular army. He enlisted at the local army

Two men were colleted at the war work headquarters this morning for the Canadian Expeditionary forces. They were Gordon Johnston of Athol and John Smith of 1857 Middlesex st. The Chester Clothes Shop Co., which The Chester Clothes Shop Co., which has a branch in this city, has sent four of its employes into the national service. Arthur Krone is the latest recruit and he has been assigned to the quartermaster's department of the regular army at Fort Slovum, N. Y. Sergt, Clarence H. Otis who is with

the 10th recruit company of the infantry forces at Columbus barracks, Obio, writes to The Sun asking for in-

# DUTCH PAPERS able to attend to much of the business connected with the store in Market

AMSTERDAM, March 16.—In discussing the Dutch shipping question the Tyjd says:

"We shall have to acquiesce, but such rough misuse of power will not be forgotten by our people."

In an article venemently deponding the allies the Handelshiad

nouncing the allies, the Handelsblad

says:

"We cannot think what our government will do. Will it publish a protest refusing to give its approval to piracy and leave the matter as it is or will it make the best of a bad job and make an exchange for what will be taken away? If it is not will be taken away? If it is not exchanged will it request the min-isters of these piratical powers to exchanged will it request the min-isters of these piralical powers to pack their frunks and depart? We should not lose much thereby, "We do not know what the gov-ernment will do, and would not wish

to advise it. At such a moment it must be left to bte government's dismust be left to his governments uis-cretion to take that decision which is least harmful to the country and the people."

In the same article, however, the Handelsblad admits that it is un-fortunately true that Holland is the

only northern neutral which had done nothing to combat German sub marine methods. It attributes the country's present position to the spirit which has dictated such as

attitude.
The Telegraaf advocates accept ance of the offer of the entente gov

ernments, adding: ernments, adding:
"Holland's existence as a free and independent nation and the possession of its colonies are at stake. By choosing the right path the government has in its power to inalitatin the liberty of the nation of irrevocably deliver it to the mercy of Germany, which, in its bid for world downpation has long had enof Germany, which, in its bid for world domination, has long had en-vious eyes on Holland. The Dutch nation will not permit itself to be delivered over to the German junk-

THE HAGUE, March 16.—It is impossible for Holland to give an affirmative answer to the culente's proposals concerning Dutch ship's

proposals concerning Dutch ship's says the Nieuwe Courant,
"It is an act of violence," it adds,
"to which we are subjected by the rulers of the ocean and nothing makes us so bitter as the attempt being made to base it on the so-called rule of international law—which is in no wise applicable here." NADAME POINCARE AND MRS.

# SHARP AT OPENING OF HOS-

New York, under the auspices of the French Heroes fund of New York. Miss Marlon Nielson, formerly of Bellevue hospital, New York, is in charge of the hospital, which has beds for 25 bables. The institution is earing for infants see eing from mainutrition.

#### SIR SWIRE SMITH, LIBERAL MEM-BER OF PARLIAMENT, DIED IN LONDON

LONDON, March 17.—Sir Swire Smith, liberal member of parliament for the Kelghley division of Yorkshire, died in London Saturday. He had travelled extensively in the United States, studying technical education methods. His work at the Kelghley institute caused Andrew Carnegie to offer £10,000 for a library for the town. It was the first Carnegie library in England. Sir Swire was born in 1842 and knighted in 1398.

#### CHARLES FELCH DEAD

The local police were notified today that Charles M. Felch, aged 49 years, whose residence was given as 146 Gorham street, died this morning at Rut-iand, Mass.

# FOR RANSOM

ican engineers recently captured brigands in northern Honan are hald for a ransom of seventy brigands in northern held for a ransom of seventy rines. Representatives of the government are dits through missionaries and it is be-lieved the release of the Americans will lieved the release of the Americans whi soon be effected. They are E. J. Pursell, who comes from either Philadelphia or St. Paul and G. A. Kyle of Portland, Ore.

It has been learned that the Americans are being held near Yehsien, 40 miles west of Yenchengho in northern Honan. They are reported to be safe and well.

# MISS SKILTON QUALIFIES AS POLICE WOMAN

Miss Emily M. Skillon, held secretary for the Florence Crittenton league in this city, is now a member of the local police department, for she took the eath of office this morning before Assistant City Clerk McCarthy at city hall. Also Skilton was appointed police woman inspector by Mayor Perry D. Thompson Saurday evening. Saturday evening.

Miss Skilton reported at the police

station this morning and hold a brief conference with Supt. Welch. Later she went to city hall and was sworn in as a full-fledged police officer. Later Supt. Welch presented her a silver badge earing the inscription, "Police Inspec-

for information concerning her work, but after talking with her a few min-Miss Skilton is a woman of wide experience and will prove a great help to the department. The mayor could not have made a better appointment. She will visit dance halls and moving picture houses in the afternoons and evenings and will keep in close touch with cirls or young women who fre-

with girls or young women with girls of young women was requestly visit those places. She will find out the habits of the young women and their home conditions. If it is necessary for Miss Skilton to make an arrest she will, before receiving a war-



ant, submit the evidence before the

First Presbyterlan church and has been connected with the Florence Crittentos eague as field secretary since 1995. She informed the writer this morning that she will sever her connections with the Florence Crittenton league as she wish-es to devote all her time to her new duaithough Miss Skilton has acted as field sucretary for the league for 13 years and has had in her care numerous young women who were placed on probation by the court she never received one penny as compensation for her work.

# PARIS, March 18.—Madame Poincare, wife of the president, and Mrs. Sharp, wife of the American ambassador, attended the opening today of a hospital for bables, founded by Mrs. W. B. Elkins and Mrs. M. F. Laws of New York, under the auspices of the

WASHINGTON, March 18.—The ad-ministration's water power legislation was advocated at a hearing before the nouse interstate commerce committee oday as necessary because of industrial today as necessary because of moustran expansion, due to the war. Secretary Lane, who was to have appeared, will speak for the bill later in the week. C. C. Merrill of the forestry service was the principal witness today.

#### 80,000 FOR WAR IN SPRINGFIELD

SPRINGFIELD, March 18.—Setween 70,000 and 80,000 persons enrolled in Springfield's patriotic census yetserday, the first of its kind ever attempted by a municipality. There were 1350 enumerators who started out yesterday afterween 13 to the mecompanisment of noon at 2 to the accompaniment of church bells and a concert on the chimes

church belis and a concert on the chimes in the municipal lower.

The city responded well. Only an av-erage of one in 200 of those approached refused to register or were not at home. The immensity of the task prevented a

complete census of the city, but the to-tal will be more than 80,000.

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of the articles for this will be done

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for doing large business.

competition.

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ducer. Good business at present being done, which under favor-

able circumstances new owner could double with but few minor

window frame business, in which there is practically no local

portunty, the week of March 13-26 should see not less than 5000 tons of clothing collected and on its way to the commission warshouses.

Mon's wear-Shirts (preferably o light colored flannels), undershirts, un derdrawers, trousers, coats, work suits

ings (sizes 7 and 8), shawls. Boys' wear--Shirts, union suits, un Boys wear—Snirts, union suits, union dershirts, trousers, coats, suits, shoes, overcoats, jerseys, sock (sizes 1-8.)
Girls' wear—Dresses, skirts, overcoats, night dresses, drawers, stockings (1-8)), undergarments, potificats, uits (two-piece), blouses, shoes. Boys' and girls' wear—Hooded capes

holys and girls wear—inoded capes, pinafores, woolen union suits.

Infants' wear—Swanskin swaddling clothes, cradle chemises, bodlees, cradle dresses, bonnets, bibs, neckerchiefs, diapers, shoes, baby dresses, hooded cloaks, packets, showls, sweaters,

Miscellaneous-Bed ticks, bed sheets pillow cases, blankets, mufflers

Men's stiff hats (derby, straw, dress.) Women's stiff hats. Women's fancy slippers. Goods containing rubber in any form

Do not send in damp clothing.
Do not put any notes or messages
in the pockets of garments as no written matter can be sent into the occupled territories with the commission's

perience in collecting old clothes for

Eaptiste d'Amerique was held Friday dent, the chanlain, Rev. J. B. A. Barette, O.M.L. the organizer, J. E. Cro-

The coming lecture of Fr. Cabanel of the French chasseurs was talked of nd all the members were urged to at-

While the Red Cross is caring for the helpless and the destitute French and Belgians behind the allied armies, the commission for relief is earling for the helpless and destitute French and Belgians "in there" behind the German lines.

The cry for clothing comes from the commission for relief. The clothing the commission for relief. The clothing the commission for relief. The clothing the commission for relief in June.

2 NEW UPRIGHT PIANGS for saltheap at Hounsell's, 704 Bridge st Open evenings. Tel. 3491-M.

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Office.

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# WANTED

# Male and Female Help

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#### REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

T-TENEMENT HOUSE for sale; on Agawam st., two minutes from Car-tridge shop, A-1 condition, large yard, 4075 ft. of land, good neighborhood; \$25s yearly; sacrificed price, \$2000; easy terms. Paul Bogossian, 218 Brad-ley Bldct, 147 Central st.

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To the Honorable the Justices of the

A true copy of the libel and of the order thereon.

Attest
WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

m9, 11, 18

Court,
Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, thi
eighth day of March in the year on
thousand nine bundred and eighteen.
F. M. ESTY, Register.

libellant and said utter describen has continued for three consecutive years next prior to the filing of this libel; and fella M. Flanders was guilty of cruel and abusive treatment towards the libellant. Libellant has lived in this Common-

Libelliant has fived in this Commonwealth for three consecutive years mext prior to the filing of this libel.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrinoun may be decreed between your libeliant and the said Elia M. Flanders.

Dated this ninth day of March, A. D. 1918.

JAMES L. PLANDERS

Attest, WM. C. DHLLINGHAM, Clerk, m16-18-25

Frederick Dugdale, M.D.

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DISEASES

JAMES L. FLANDERS.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts—
Middlesox, ss. Superior Court, March
13, A. D. 1918.
Upon the foregoing libel, it is ordered that the libeliant notify the
libeliee to appear before our Justices
of said court, in Cambridge, in said
County, on the first Monday of May
next, by causing an attested copy of
said libel and of the order thereon, to
be published in The Lowell Sun, a
newspaper jublished, in Lowell, in the
County of Middlesox, once a week,
three weeks successively, the last
publication to be fourteen days at
least before the said last mentioned
day, and that an attested copy of said
libel and order thereon be sent by
registered letter, to the residence of
the libelice as set out in the libel,
that she may then and there show
cause, if any she lave, why the prayer
in said libet set forth should not be
granted.

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk. stone Madaleses County Commisstances Respectfully represent the indersigned, five or more inhabitants of the
town of Billerica, that Lowell Street,
in said Billerica, from the state road
recently built of concrete at the focality called Sprague's Bridge casterly
to the Talbot Mills, is in need of relocation and specific repairs.
Wherefore we pray that you will
relocate and direct specific repairs on
said road.

THOMAS F. SHERIDAN aid road.

THOMAS F. SHERIDAN
AND FIVE OTHERS.
A true copy attest.
BERNARD F. GATELY.
Deputy Sheriff.

mil, 18, 25

Estate of Anthony Walsh, late of the county of Middlesex, deceased, represented insolvent.

The subscribers, having been appointed by the Probate Court for said County, commissioners to receive and the estate of said Anthony Walsh, hereby give notice that six months from the ninth day of November A. D. 1917, are allowed to creditors to present and prove their claims against said estate, and that they will meet to examine the claims of creditors at 403 Sun Building, in said Lowell, on the twenty-third and thirtieth days of March, current, and the sixth day of April' next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. in said libet set total granted.
WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.
A true copy of the libel and of the order thereon.

Atlest. RHEUMATISM, neuralgia, neuritis, lumbago, sciatica, rheumatoid arthritis, geut, catarra, cpitepsy.

CANCER, TUMOMS, pites, fistala, and rectal discusos WITHOUT THE KNIFE. JOHN M. O'DONOGHUE, FRANK GOLDMAN, Commissioners.

March 5, A. D. 1918, m7, 14, 18

Courte lands and the control of Courte Mitness, Charles J. McIntire, F. quire, First Judge of said Court, the eighth day of March, in the year of thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

To the Monorable the Justices of the Superior Court within and for the

der thereon. Atlest WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

and by publishing the same in the Lowell Sun and Lowell Courier-Citizen, Lowell Sun and Lowell Courier-Citizen, newspapers printed at Lowell, three works successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least because in the said view, and also by posting the same in two public places in the said town of Billerica tourteen days before said view, and also be posting the same in two public places in the said town of Billerica tourteen days before as in two public places in the said town of Billerica tourteen days before as and view, and that he make return of his doings herein, to said Commissioners, at the time and place fixed for said view, and hearing.

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk. Copy of petition and order thereon. Attest.

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk. A true copy actest.

BERNARD F. GATELY. Deputy Sherff. Deputy Sherff. Deputy Sherff. Deputy Sherff. Billerica, March 1, 1918.

Billerica, March 1, 1918.

To the Middlesex County Commissioners:

Respectfully represent the under-signed by the company of the property of the signed by the company of the property of the p

MARYJANNA x KOCZRA, mark
Witness to mark of M. K.,
Bennett Silverblatt.

Bennett Silverblatt.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts,—Middlesex, 3s. Superior Court.

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Upon the foregoing libel, it is ordered that the libellant notify the libelle to appear before our dustices of said Court, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of April next, by causing an attested copy of said libel and of the order thereon, to be published in the lowelt Sun, as newspaper published in towelt in the County of Middlesex, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said last mentioned day, and that an attested copy of said libel and offer thereon be sont by registered letter to the residence of the libellee as set out in the libel-that he may then and there show cause, if any he have, why the prayer in said libel set fortheshould not be granted.

Which C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk, MI, 18, 25.

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Trench—Gunners Active at Many Points

Many Points

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, March 17.—(By the Associated Press.)—American intelligence officers report evidence that a spy is at work within the American lines northwest of Toul. Early this moroing an American sentry saw flashes of a signal light from a window facing in the direction of the enemy lines. He direction of the enemy lines had been set into the house, but failed to find any

distance without difficulty. Much valuable information was gathered. As

### A TIME FOR STRONG NERVES Air Crowded With Airplanes

There is No Tonic for the Nerves That Is Not a Tonic for Every Other Part of the Body.

Many people are worrying them-selves sick over the high cost of liv-

war time with its excitement and war time with its extrement and hysteria is a trial to the strongest nerves. To those whose nervous systems are run down by overwork or worry, to those who are on the verge of neurasthenia, it is a time of dan-

ger.

If your hand, your thumb or foot frembles when you hold it still, if the lines are shaky when you write.

if you have tremors of your lips or chin, your nerves need strengthening. These signs often precede a serious nervous breakdown. In meeting this condition it is necessary to exercise care in the diet and take a nervine tonic. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills contonic. Dr. williams Fink Fink contain ingredients that build up the nerves at the same time that they tone up the system in general and their value in preventing nervous disorders from developing cannot be disputed.

There is no tonic for the nerves that is not a tonic for every other part of the body. There is no form of de-

tonic for this condition because they are non-alcoholic and neurasthenic patients should avoid alcoholic stimu-

patients should harts.

The Dr. Williams Medicino Co., Schenectady, N. Y., has published a little book on nervous disorders that contains a chapter on neurasthenia in high the compans are fully de-

they were about to return, they established contact with the enemy, who opened fire with a machine gun. The Americans jumped to a safe position and hurled grenades at the enemy gunners, silencing the gun.

In returning to the American side of No. More Lord the reliefers brought

AMERICANLINES

In returning to the American side of No-Man's Land the raiders brought back with them a German rifle breech, protected by a metallic cover over the muzzle and a snap clip cover, both of which operated quickly and efficiently. Officers declared it was the bost thing of the kind they had ever seen for protecting rifles. The mechanism was turned over to the intelligence department with a recommendation that the ment with a recommendation that the attachment be furnished the American

Hold Enemy Front Line

Another patrol on the other end of he sector reported that the enemy first line was held strongly. White the

into the house, but falled to find anyone. Four hours earlier some important telephone wires within the American lines were found to be cut.

An American patrol last night entered the enemy trenches at one end
of the sector and patrolled them for of our positions rather heavily, many gas shells being mixed with high explosives. Some American soldlers who happened to be near or who walked through the shelled area afterwards said there were indications that the enemy was trying to isolate one of our positions with shell fire. The visibility was exceptionally good today and the weather was like summer. A great author of warms trains and small supplier of warms trains and small number of wagon trains and small groups of Germans were seen walking hebind the enemy lines.

on one occasion several enemy ma-chines were overhead at the same time. Airplanes from the rear of our time. Airplanes from the rear of our lines, carrying American observers, maneuvered to gct into a fight with the enomy machines, but were unsuccessful. American anti-aircraft guns drove off a number of enemy machines and kept the others high in the air.

American observers succeeded in ac-complishing much work which the recent ground haze had prevented. They obtained badly wanted photographs and observed certain things back of the German lines.

Germans Forced to Retire

American troops in the Luneville sector have been subjected to fairly heavy hombardments during the last 24 hours, but have been giving the en-emy as much as received. Patrols at two points established contact with the enemy last night and early this morning. After a brief firing the Ger-

morning. Aft mans retired. American soldiers are still holding American soldiers are still holding the Mecklenburg trench, taken two days ago, which it is now permitted to name. The anti-aircraft guns east of Luneville were extremely husy today in driving off enemy airplanes.

The United States government is calling for donations of field glasses and as a result of an urgent call the the body. There is no form of de-bility that does not rob the nerves of nourishment. The remedy therefore for nervous breakdown is a tonic that will build up the general health, re-vitalize the blood and enable it to carry to the nerves the elements that they need. of to the nerves the elements that need.

Williams' Pink Pills are an ideal for this condition because they non-sleoholic and neurasthenic non-sleoholic and neurasthenic

REPLANK TYNGSBORO BRIDGE At the regular monthly meeting of the county commissioners held at the which the symptoms are fully described and the correct treatment given. The booklet is free on request. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by your own druggist or will be sent by mall, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes for \$2.50.

Enrollment begins today for the United States Boys' Working Reserve, which has been called to the colors by the nation and state for the same reason that reserves are always called, because the first line wants their support.

The Boys' Working Reserve is for the help of the professional farmers, who now and always are the chief profusers of the nation's food. But less formally there is being enrolled and mobilized another auxilliary food army.

Individual another and state for the farmers who sign government agreements as to wages, hours and conditions of work. After working hours the boys enjoy life in their camps. An official of the reserve, appointed by the U.S. department of agriculture, is at every camp. Discipline is maintained.

Any boy can quit at any time his parents consent, and receive an honorable discharge.

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Livery boy is paid wages: Last summer than a vacation season and receives an honorable discharge he gets a bronze badge.

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The Lowell Campaign

There will be a special drive conducted this week at the war work headquarters in Merrimack street, to enroll boys over 16 years of age in the Boys' Working reserve. The purpose is to secure boys to be called upon litter for form work.

SEEKING HER MOTHER

"I do want to find my mother and sister, for I am all alone in this world and I do want to find them." Such is a part of a letter written to Mayor Perry D. Thompson by Gettrude Mc-kay of North Lincoln street, Buth, Me. in an endeavor to locate her mother, Mrs. Emma Doloff and her sister Miss Dollie Doloff. ter, Miss Dollie Doloff.

ter, Miss Pollie Doloff.

The woman states that she has not seen her mother and sister for 30 years, or since she was a child. She also tells about learning that the mother and sister were employed in cotton mills in this city years ago. The name Doloff does not appear in the directory and the mayor would the directory and the mayor would welcome any news concerning Mrs. Emma Doloff.

ed as best man, while the bridesmald, was Miss Margaret McGlew. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Annie Conroy, of this city.

enjoy it."

"The first day I came I was put to plowing and maybe I wasn't tired. The next day I had to harrow all day. Every day brings something different to do, which makes the life interesting."

"We have to get up and help the sun rise, but I like it. The work is hard, but agreeable. I am operating a tractor on a large fruit farm."

"I never worked so hard in my life before, but am getting hardened slowly. Bob has so sore a back he can hardly move, but will soon be a dyed in the wool farmer."

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LEAVE TO WITHDRAW

As a result of a thorough investigation of claims by Mayor Thompson and City Solicitor William D. Regan. and City someton in number of petitioners will be given to withdraw their claims. The inayor will report at tomorrow's meeting of the council and the claims to bereported upon in an unfavorable maniner are as follows:

Charles C. Baron, Timothy O'Neil, Dry

E. J. David in behalf of Joseph Bruis, Sarah J. Ward and William Warren. FORMER LOWELL RESIDENT MA-

CHRIST IN U. S. NAVY, DIED IN CHELSEA

William Frederick Brown, chief machinist's muto in the United States navy, died Saturday at the U. S. Naval hospital in Chelsea, aged 43 years, Deceased was born at Newburgh, N. Y. and had been a resident of this city up to a short time ago when he re-moved to Tewksbury. He enlisted in welcome any news concerning Mrs.

Emma Doloff.

MATRIMONIAL

Mechanician Grant H. Gillett, of the supply company of the 304th infantry at Camp Devens, and Miss Anna Control of this city were married March.

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### Daily Bulletin from War Work Headquarters 119 MERRIMACK STREET

# Open From Nine to Nine THE PRESIDENT'S CALL FOR BOYS

SPECIAL ENROLMENT FOR BOYS 16 to 21, March 18th to 31st. A special effort is being made during the next two weeks to earol every boy in town.

President Wilson has said of this movement: Let me express the hope that the young men of the country not now permanently employed may eagerly enter the Boys' Working Reserve. To give the young men between the ages of 16 and 21 the privilege of spending their spare time in productive enterprise without interrupting, their studies in school, while their older brothers are battling in the trenches and on the seas, must greatly increase the means of providing for the forces at the front and the maintenance of those whose services are needed here."

The British Recruiting Mission is represented in the city of Lowell by Mr. L. E. Field at the War Work Headquarters. Applicants should apply to this gentleman and will be sent to Boston for medical examination.

Encolment for U. S. Public Service Reserve. Enrol here for the Lowell branch.

Food conservation. SAVE WHEAT. The ban was lifted on meat so that you could save wheat.

Smileage Books on sale. War Savings Stamps on sale.

"Eyes for the Navy." Field glasses wanted to aid in watching for submarines. Subscriptions for the Red Triangle, the Welfare Fund, and Red

Cross Memberships received here.

# Hour Sales

FOR TUESDAY 8 TO 9 A. M.

27c Value Thick Meaty SMOKED SHOULDERS 23c

9 TO 10 A. M. 7c Value SUNNY MONDAY SOAP BAR 5c

3 TO 4 P. M. (While They, Last) Sunnyside Farm

HOME PRESERVED PEARS (Packed in Pint and Quart Jars)

35e Size ..... 23c qt. | 20e Pint Size...... 15c 4 TO 5 P. M.

Monadnock Brand BAKED RED KIDNEY BEANS 18c Value, 2 cans'.....

MONDAY NIGHT SPECIALS 7 TO 9 P. M.

12c Prunes, 3 lhs. 25c

28c Gold Dust. . 22c | 30c Yacht Club Salad Dressing .....23c 4c Onions ...3 lbs. 5c 26c Cerned Shoulders,

7c Am. Sardines...6c

Do you ever consider the cleanliness and the manner in which YOUR FOOD is handled before you buy it?

Probably you have noticed all our meats are displayed on marble.

Our meat case is entirely of marble which is washed with hot water every night and thoroughly disinfected.

It's worth our time. Is it worth your trade?

C'MON, BOYS, ENROLL!

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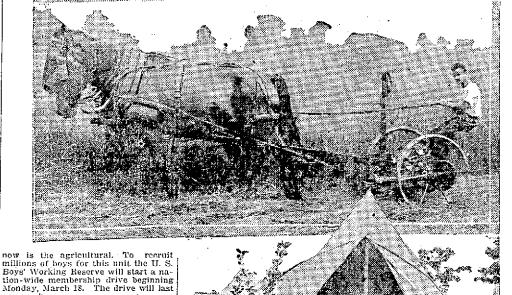
the amateur farmers, the war gardeners.

The following article, written especially for The Sun, by E. C. Rodgers, tells the whole story:

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 18.—
Boys are wanted!
They must be healthy, willing and between the ages of 16 and 2!.
They will not be drafted. They are asked to volunteer.
They are wanted as members of the United States Boys' Working Reserve.
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one week.
There are over 5,800,000 boys 16 to

Be Better Looking—Take Olive Tablets

If your skin is yellow—complexion pallid—tongue coated—appetite poor—you have bad taste in your mouth—alazy, no good teling—you should take Olive Tablets. Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets-a substitut realemel—were prepared by Dr. Edwards fter 17 years of study with his patients. Dr. Edwards Olive Tablets are a purely egetable compound mixed with olive oil of will know them by their olive color. To have a clear, pink skin, bright eyes, primples, a feeling of buoyancy like fildhood dayayou must get at the cause. Dr. Edwardo' Clive Tablets act on the yet and bowels like calomel—yet have

dangerous after effects. They start the bile and overcome constiotion. That's why millions of boxes are all annually at 10c and 25c per box. All ruggists. Take one or two nightly and Enrollment Certificate iote the pleasing results,



This is the life! Scenes at farm camps of U. S. Boys! Working Reserve who last summer aided in war food producing. Above, a lad cutting hay; below, a group of happy young fellows after a day's work, resting in their camp tent. Similar scenes will be familiar in all parts of rural America this summer. Want to enroll?

foal agrees. Every boy must have the written consent of his parents or guardians. He must take the following oath of

service; I do solemnly swear or affirm that will toyally and faithfully perform any work that I may undertake as a member of the United States Boys' Working Reserve."

For the boy who enlists in the Reserve there'll be:
lenty of good, muscle-building work, with horses and farm machinery.
Cood wages, good and plenty food, companionally of other boys, occans of outdoor air all day, and a chance to be real patriots by helping their country grow war food.
I advise every city lay who can to enroll. He will never regret it!

The is then given an enrollment cer- What the Boys Say "The work is hard, but L sajoy it

# BETTER—EASIER

Think of having the largest washing done and out on the line by 10 o'clock—and being ready to enjoy the rest of the day as you please—without a trace of fatigue. This happens in hundreds of Lowell homes every washday.

Ask any woman who owns a THOR Electric Washing Machine if she would part with it. Ask her if she would go back to the old hand method of washing and wringing and see her look of amazement at your question.

Let us demonstrate the THOR at your home next washday. See for yourself just what this remarkable machine will do and how much more happiness you can put into your housework by

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